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# DRIVER ARRESTED AFTER BIKER DIES IN ROAD ACCIDENT



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FAMILY and friends of a young Harlow man killed in a road accident in the early hours of Christmas Eve have raised thousands of pounds to help pay for his funeral.

Motorcyclist Jon Aicken died when he was involved in a collision with a car while riding in Tylers Road, Roydon, shortly after 4am.

The 24-year-old, known affectionately to his friends as Panda, was pronounced dead at the scene.

Police were called to the scene by paramedics who had responded to emergency calls reporting that a motorcyclist had come off his bike.

Within hours of his death social media sites were flooded with tributes to Mr Aicken, who

was described as a "gentle, caring and generous" man. "You were a true gentleman through and through," said one, while another added: "You never failed to make me smile Panda."

## Great friend

Pals of Mr Aicken said he was a "fun person to be around", "a great friend" and "always rocking out". One tribute stated: "The world is a much sadder place without you Panda."

Staff at Harlow music venue The Square, where Mr Aicken was a regular visitor, wrote: "A familiar face at our bar and on our dance floor. Thoughts are with all his friends and family."

As the **Star** went to press yesterday (Monday), more than £6,000 had been pledged on a fun-

draising website. It states: "This fund is to help out Panda's family in these extremely hard times. Anything you can give to them to help cover the costs of the funeral will help a great deal."

Mr Aicken's mother, Anne, said they were "overwhelmed" by the generosity and kindness.

In the immediate aftermath of the accident police issued an appeal for information about a BMW car which they said they believed to have been involved in the accident.

During the afternoon of Christmas Day a 25-year-old woman from Hatfield attended Harlow police station voluntarily. She was arrested on suspicion of causing death by dangerous driving and released on bail pending further enquiries until Monday, January 26.



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# Fire station will be used as base for ambulances

## Pilot scheme to speed up response times

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AMBULANCES will be based at Old Harlow fire station as part of a three-month pilot to improve response times in the area.

The site – along with a station in Frinton – has been chosen because of a pressing need to improve East of England Ambulance Service attendance times in the area.

If the pilot is successful it may be expanded to Chelmsford, Colchester and Waltham Abbey stations later next year.

Fire stations will be used as what the East of England Ambulance describes as dynamic activation points (DAPs). Ambulance crews will be allocated an identified hatched area located on station forecourts between 6am and 2am and will turn out during these times to emergency calls.

If they respond to a '999' call, then another ambulance or paramedic vehicle will be redeployed to take its place.

Essex County Fire and Rescue Service project manager and assistant divisional officer Mark Wilby said: "The facility allows the ambulance service to have more people in the right place when they are needed and should get ambulances to people quicker."

"The pilot is simply an extension of our commitment to strengthening partnerships and shared services with other blue lights services."

"Firefighters very often work alongside ambulance teams at the scene of road traffic collisions. By providing ambulance colleagues with a bolthole there will be positive, practical benefits but the move should also help to develop relationships on the ground



**EXTRA:** The East of England Ambulance Service will base a vehicle at Old Harlow fire station in a bid to improve response times in the area

and potentially lead to greater understanding and, potentially further down the line, joint training and information sharing.

"We obviously recognise the constraints of the Old Harlow site but this is one area where the East of England Ambulance is struggling to meet its attendance times and has an urgent need, so we will do all we can to accommodate crews there."

Ambulance crews will be given fob access for security and ambulance service vehicles will have designated

parking spots.

"This is not about replacing ambulance stations," Mr Wilby added. "Ambulance crews will still pick up their vehicles, do their safety checks, paperwork and daily business routines back at base."

"Access to our fire stations will allow the ambulance service to respond to incidents much faster and to be able to use our welfare facilities."

"Each vehicle will spend no longer than 45 minutes at the fire station if no emergency call is received during that time before moving on and another team will then take their place."

The pilot is due to start in the middle of next month. If successful the two organisations will look to expand the arrangement under more commercial terms.

## Newhall hailed as an example for UK's future 'garden cities'

THE award-winning Newhall development in Harlow is being held up as an example of good planning for the next generation of garden cities.

A new report – *Success and Innovation in Planning* – has been published by the Royal Town Planning Institute the professional body representing 23,000 planners working in the public, private, charitable and education sectors.

A panel of 100 planning experts from across the UK nominated just 12 standout case studies, including Newhall. The research was carried out by Newcastle University's Global Urban Research Unit.

The report said Newhall had a clear design ethos and used different developers and architects to bring a series of strong and distinctive architectural types to different plots.

### Mixture

The creation of a mixture of live/work units and commercial spaces on the ground floor of residential buildings along the main road were highlighted. The landowners also took an active interest in the planning and development of the site.

All these were cited as examples for planning the next generation of garden cities which have been mooted by the Government.

Cath Ranson, president of the RTPi, said of the Newhall development: "Enlightened land ownership and a focus on design, using different architects for different parts of the development have resulted in an award-winning and unique community."

"Local residents can be proud of their own achievement in bringing this about, as well as proud of their local council planning teams."

"The Government needs to draw on the lessons from the Newhall initiative when drawing up plans for new garden cities."

For more information about the report, visit the RTPi's website at [www.rtpi.org.uk](http://www.rtpi.org.uk).



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## Government gives £128m for repairs to county roads

A RECORD £128m will be spent on repairing potholes and improving local roads in Essex over the next six years.

The announcement was made by Transport Secretary Patrick McLoughlin last Tuesday.

Across the East of England the Government has pledged £645m which amounts to £107m a year, enough to fix around two million potholes across the region.

It is the first time councils have been given locked-in funding over this length of time, which will help with forward planning and save money for the taxpayer.

In Essex, the county council will receive £24,575,000 next year which will reduce to £19,774,000 in the financial year 2020/21.

### Menace

Mr McLoughlin said: "Roads play a significant part in everyday life. Poorly maintained local roads blighted by potholes are a menace to all road users, particularly during the festive period as people travel to see family and friends.

"It is vital we have good quality roads. The Government has already taken strong action by spending £1bn more on local roads maintenance than was spent in the previous parliament.

"The £645m funding I am announcing today for the East of England will put an end to short term fixes and will mean we have committed £10bn between 2010 and 2021.

"This huge investment is part of our long term economic plan to ensure we have a transport network fit for the 21st century."

The Department for Transport allocates funding to local authorities based on local need, so councils with larger highway networks receive a larger share of the funding.

More than £4.7bn will be shared between 115 councils, while a further £575m will be available through a new challenge fund to help repair highway infrastructure.

## Volunteers show support for homeless shelter



HOMELESS people have been able to enjoy some festive cheer over the Christmas period thanks to the efforts of scores of volunteers at a Harlow shelter.

Harlow Haven, which was officially opened by Harlow MP Robert Halfon on Christmas Eve, offers accommodation and food to the less fortunate.

Organised by The Chocolate Run, the centre at the Great Parndon Community Association in Abercrombie Way will

remain open until New Year's Day.

Mr Halfon said: "Every year The Chocolate Run provides shelter to those in need. Volunteers work around the clock and put service above self; it is remarkable what occurs and it represents the best of Harlow's traditions of solidarity and community."

Also present at the launch was Labour parliamentary candidate Suzy Stride, Harlow Council leader Jon Clempner and council chairman Ian Beckett.

# Raiders threaten staff at bet shop with garden fork

## Gang steal £1,000 in second robbery in a month

A GANG of robbers who threatened staff at a Harlow betting shop with a garden fork and stole £1,000 are being hunted by police.

The four masked men struck at the BetFred branch in Staple Tye shopping centre at about 4.40pm on the Friday before Christmas (December 19).

The gang entered the premises through the back door and threatened three members of staff with a garden fork before grabbing a bundle of banknotes from a safe.

One of the shop's female cashiers had the fork pointed at her face and was told to hand over her bag containing cash and a mobile phone.

The gang then ran out of the shop and drove off in two stolen vehicles - a red VW Golf car and a white Ford Transit tipper truck that had been parked at the back of the building.

The truck was later found abandoned in Parnell Road. Eyewitnesses reported seeing the occupants get into the VW Golf which was later found on fire in a field off Joyners Field.

The Golf had been reported stolen from Cambridgeshire and the truck had been taken from Chelmsford.



All four men were wearing black clothing and black balaclavas. One was wearing a fluorescent jacket and another is thought to have had a beard.

The raid was the second on a betting shop in Harlow in four weeks.

On November 19 a female cashier working in the Potter Street branch of Joe Jennings was dragged in to a back room by two men wielding a crowbar and

forced to open a safe. They stole a three-figure sum.

Police said they would be stepping up patrols around bookmakers in the district as a deterrent to other offenders as well as to reassure residents.

Any witnesses to either robbery should contact officers at Harlow CID on 101 or call Crimestoppers anonymously on 0800 555111.

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## Safe crossing is a necessity

**SIR,** The decision to allow a housing development on Harlow Rugby Club's ground has now been made but without any kind of certainty that the worries about the risk to children living in the estate from traffic on Elizabeth Way will be addressed adequately.

When Harlow was built we all know how that would have been dealt with – a pedestrian underpass linked into the cycle network such as those under other main roads where there are people living on both sides, or under Edinburgh Way on the Town Park.

Ideally that should have been insisted on by Harlow Council as a condition for developing the Ram Gorse site. Short of that, the least that should be provided is a light-controlled pedestrian crossing similar to that across Edinburgh Way.

My understanding is that it is not within the authority of Harlow Council but of Essex County Council. The same would go for any other traffic-calming measures such as reducing the speed limit of the road.

At present there is no pedestrian crossing across Elizabeth Way at this point. A cyclist was killed there only last year.

Children from the new estate will need to cross that road, not just going to and from school but at other times to visit friends. Children from other parts of Little Parndon will be visiting friends on the estate while mothers with babies in pushchairs are going to be needing to cross the road at all times of day.

The dangers were stressed to the development committee which approved the project, both by local residents and by Councillor Jean Clark. The decision was to overrule the objections and approve the project without any guarantees that the needed safety provision will be made, but merely hopes expressed that they might be.

Providing a safe crossing is an urgent matter. The responsible thing would have been for the council to make the approval of the Ram Gorse development provisional until satisfactory arrangements have been made

## PHOTO OF THE WEEK



**READER** Darrel Duke, of Potters Field, Harlow, took this photo of a baby hedgehog, or hoglet, looking for food in his back garden. If you have taken a photo which you would like to be featured in our Photo of the Week section, email a high resolution copy – along with a description of your photo and details of where and when it was taken – to [star@hertssexnews.co.uk](mailto:star@hertssexnews.co.uk). Please include your name and address and insert 'Photo of the Week' in the subject line.

and on the condition that the developers guaranteed to pay for these.

**Kevin McGrath**  
Little Parndon, Harlow

## NHS not safe in Tory hands

**SIR,** I read open-mouthed Guy Mitchinson's letter (Star, December 18) in which he was trying to pass off attacks on his party's gutting of the NHS as a class war tactic and mentions individual hospitals that have had problems under a Labour stewardship.

I would remind him that the last time his avaricious rabble were in power the NHS was reduced to its knees. Only a Labour election victory in 1997 saved it.

Under the last Conservative government people routinely died on waiting lists for life-saving operations, patients were stuck on trolleys in corridors as there were no free beds on wards and A&E waiting times were a national disgrace.

Diseases like rickets and TB are making a comeback as the Tories' Four Horsemen of the Apocalypse – Cameron, Osborne, Duncan-Smith and Hunt – gallop across the country leaving a swathe of foodbank reliant, zero hour contract inflicted unfortunates in their wake.

We know the Tories loathe the NHS. They can't abide the idea that someone on minimum wage can get the same kind of top notch health care that they can.

If the Tories win next May we can kiss goodbye to the NHS.

**Robert Johnson**  
Harlow

## MP is a great campaigner

**SIR,** As Robert Halfon's agent I am delighted he is working hard for Harlow and I have no intention of asking him to slow down (Letters, December 11).

I am grateful to your correspondent for highlighting some of the successful campaigns Robert has been leading for residents of the town.

Petrol is now 20p a litre lower than it would have been under Labour thanks to Robert's tireless campaigning.

In trying to keep an Marks & Spencer store in town he held meetings with senior management to explore ways of keeping jobs in Harlow.

His campaign to protect hospital visitors from exorbitant car parking charges led to new Government directives to cap charges and to highlight concessionary schemes for people visiting regularly.

With the illegal Traveller encampments, Robert was

successful in getting a number of senior ministers to visit the town to see for themselves the extent of the problem and to change the law.

I could go on. What I will say, though, is not to confuse bandwagons with campaigns. Campaigns have a clear objective and Robert has an excellent record in delivering on those objectives.

Voters in other towns are envious of our hardworking MP who thoroughly deserves our support next May.

**Simon Carter**  
Edinburgh Way, Harlow

## Problem is a lack of cash

**SIR,** So after several months we do not seem to be any nearer in resolving the continuing problem of illegal occupation of land in Harlow.

I note Harlow Council says it continues to take a lead on finding a long-term solution and that existing powers do not seem to be able to resolve the problem.

If readers are interested there is available on the Government website ([www.gov.uk](http://www.gov.uk)) a summary of powers available which lists 13 pages of legislation that can be used to deal with illegal encampments, including the powers of section 77 and 78 of the Criminal Justice and Public Order Act 1994.

This gives powers to local authorities to issue orders to leave land and not to return within three months. If the order is not obeyed then the authority can apply to a magistrates court for an order to physically remove vehicles.

In my view the argument that there are not sufficient powers is not valid. Is the real reason that strong action has not been taken a lack of resources? Mr Holmes' letter (Star, December 18) highlights the funding cuts to the police but these cuts equally apply to Harlow Council and Essex County Council.

The powers are there to remove these illegal encampments but to do so will require a sustained and determined effort from all three authorities involved. Given the cutbacks in local authority funding in the past few years, are any of them willing to commit to that level of

expenditure and resource?

This raises a further question about our own attitude to local authority expenditure in that none of us want to pay more taxes. The reality is that if we want a first class service from our public servants we must be prepared to pay for it.

The continuing cutbacks in public services are resulting in services that are failing to provide for the needs of the community. Until someone is prepared to stump up the cash Harlow will continue to suffer the blight of illegal Traveller encampments within the town.

**Richard Adams**  
address supplied

## Fed up by the lack of action

**SIR,** The people of Harlow are fed up with Essex County Council, Harlow Council and the police doing nothing to get the Travellers out of the town.

We have had enough of promises about using section 61 but they never do. It is the people who have voted them in that they should listen to.

I have started a Facebook group called 'Keep Travellers out of our town' to lobby the council and the police and have peaceful demonstrations (where need be) about the travellers.

**M. Mitchell**  
address supplied

## Conman tried to trick us, too

**SIR,** I read with interest the letter from Susan Parker about her encounter with a conman in Harlow town centre (Star, December 4).

A few weeks ago a neighbour and I were waiting for a bus at the bus station in the town centre around midday when we had a similar experience.

Almost word for word a man said the same things to us – he was in Harlow to exchange a jumper at Marks & Spencer and wanted to get to Loughton but had locked his keys and money in his car.

Luckily we didn't offer him any money for a taxi as we are both pensioners. Our bus came and I wished him luck before getting on board.

**I. Sawyer**  
The Fortunes, Harlow

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## Panto trip kids given the VIP treatment

PANTO star Joe Swash took time out from his busy schedule to chat to a group of children who were treated to a matinee performance of this year's Christmas show at Harlow Playhouse.

The youngsters and members of their families arrived at the theatre in style after travelling through the town in a convoy of limousines escorted by police

outriders.

The convoy was organised by local funeral directors Daniel Robinson & Sons, which lays on the festive treat for children who have had a tough year due to illness or family bereavement.

It set off from Latton Bush Centre and was met on arrival by Harlow MP Robert Halfon and Harlow Council chairman Ian Beckett. After being

treated to lunch they enjoyed the afternoon performance of Cinderella before returning home in the limousines.

Daniel Robinson and Sons manager Phil Barrow said: "All the families have had a tough year. It's a chance for them to share a day together, have fun and be made to feel special, something some of them have not felt for a while."

# Council's cash is cut by £920k

## Leader warns authority faces financial challenges

THE leader of Harlow Council has vowed to do all he can to protect jobs and services after the Government announced it was cutting its funding by almost £1m next year.

The amount the council receives from Whitehall will be cut by £920,000 for 2015-16.

The Provisional Local Government Finance Settlement announced sets out how much money every council will receive from the Government in 2015/2016. Harlow's figure is £8,000 more than the council was expecting.

It means the grant, which funds nearly half (46 per cent) of council services, has shrunk by nearly 65 per cent since 2011.

Council leader Jon Clempner said: "The Government says the average cut is 1.8 per cent with the cut for Harlow at 4.4 per cent, but when you work through the spending power figures including council tax and other specific grants, you see the real impact on the grant the Government will pay to Harlow which is a cut of 16.6 per cent.

"Although this is in line with what we expected, the settlement announcement reminds us that the financial challenges facing the council are far from over and there will continue to be difficult choices for the council to make."

He added: "Work will now take place to look at the finer details of the draft settlement as the administration continues to develop its budget proposals for 2015/16. Despite the continued reductions to its funding from Government, the council will do all that it can to

## 'Tougher times' for county

ESSEX County Council is facing a cut of £49m in Government funding next year.

County Hall's early assessment of the provisional settlement show a reduction of 15 per cent when compared to last year.

Council leader David Finch said that it will be tougher for the council to remain "financially robust".

"As a forward-thinking authority we have worked hard over many years to have new and pioneering approaches in place to ensure we maintain a financially robust council that builds a better Essex for everyone," he said.

"This is going to get tougher but we are working

closely with our partners across the county in order to deal with these funding reductions.

"Resilient communities are always important but especially at a time when councils simply cannot afford to do everything they used to do."

Cllr John Spence, cabinet member for finance, said: "We understand the Government has to tackle the deficit but that does not detract from our responsibility both to balance the books and to provide the best possible service for the people of Essex.

"Every successive round of cuts makes the challenge harder."

protect services and jobs."

Harlow MP Robert Halfon said the settlement still left the council with "considerable" spending power.

"Although the deficit has been cut by half and the economy is the fastest growing in the western world, we still face considerable economic problems with the country's debt interest at £120m a day alone," he said.

Local government is expected to spend over £114bn this year, a quarter of all public spending. The Government has made an overall reduction of 1.6 per cent if all funds are included, which is

lower than last year.

The MP added: "Harlow Council has also received £704,000 from the New Homes Bonus in the past year and many hundreds of thousands of pounds from the NHB over the past few years.

"Harlow has also received over £10m for the Enterprise Zone and millions of pounds for education in the form of our new University Technical College.

"It is worth noting that the Government is encouraging councils to shift their focus on how they receive money, so that they are less dependent on government grants."

## Health problems force UKIP councillor to quit



ONE of the five UKIP councillors elected in May's local elections in Harlow has resigned because of ill health.

Jerry Crawford, pictured left, who represented the Mark Hall ward, was this week described by his leader Bill Pryor as a key member of the group.

"It is very sad to be losing a key member, and an honourable, hardworking man of integrity such as Jerry so early in his term," said Cllr Pryor.

"We had hoped that a short period of medical leave would have been the right way to go, but Jerry feels it was not in the best interests of his constituents in Mark Hall and would go against the UKIP principles of public service before self and party."

A by-election will take place on Thursday, February 12. The UKIP candidate will be former Conservative councillor Mark Gough.





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# Lottery winner Lesley's gift to horse sanctuary

Rescue centre presented with wheelbarrow full of goodies for animals

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A LOTTERY winner with a childhood passion for riding horses has spent some of the money on gifts for a rescue centre on the outskirts of Harlow.

Lesley Blackman presented staff at the Redwings Ada Cole Rescue Centre, in Epping Road, with a wheelbarrow full of items including rugs, head collars, lead ropes and other equipment.

"I used to ride when I was young and it's something I always wanted to get back into," she said.

Miss Blackman was working in an insurance office dreaming of being a property developer and riding horses when, on June 7, her dreams came true. Her £2 gamble on the National Lottery pocketed her almost £800,000.

She quit her job to pursue the career she always wanted.

"I feel really lucky, just really lucky," said the 40-year-old, who lives in Stanstead Abbotts. "Winning the lottery has opened so many

doors and allowed me to do things that I want to do as opposed to being in a career which didn't give me the satisfaction I wanted."

Along with her fiancé, Matt McCarthy, she has recently bought the first property they are going to develop and sell on.

"This is something I did years ago and knew I wanted to do again, but without the money it would have always been a dream," she said.

"I had always wanted to do it again, but it just wasn't possible. I would have still been stuck."

She has also been taking riding lessons and decided to use some of her winnings to present the rescue centre, which is a sanctuary for horses and ponies, with an early Christmas gift.

Lucinda King, of Redwings, said: "Lesley has seen the rescues that we have here and how her gifts and kind donations will go towards their daily care."

"During the winter it can be especially difficult and it's great to have the gifts just before Christmas."



**HORSE PLAY:** Left to right, Melissa Ricketts with Elsie, visitor centre manager Debbie Johnston, Lesley Blackman, fundraising manager Debbie Scott and Rachel Welsh with Tinkerbell

## Precautions to ensure new year festivities are trouble-free

NEW Year revellers are being urged to avoid ending their night out in the back of an ambulance by taking a few sensible precautions.

With 999 calls to the East of England Ambulance Service NHS Trust rising by more than 10 per cent compared to 2013, the EEA is giving advice on how to enjoy their end-of-year celebrations safely.

Tracy Nicholls, director of clinical quality at EEA, said: "We certainly don't want to dampen the spirit, we want people to enjoy and remember their night out. But no-one wants their party to end in the back of an ambulance."

"Before heading out ensure you have eaten properly or at least have a good snack if you're out for dinner. Never be tempted to drink and drive and designate a driver at the start of the night who isn't drinking or ensure you have transport booked to get you home."

"Stay close to the people you're out with, don't let them wander off by themselves and ensure you're wrapped up warm with the cold weather."

She added: "Our message is quite simply for people to know their limits. More ambulances will then be available to attend life-threatening emergencies such as cardiac arrests or a stroke as well as people who are the most at risk such as the elderly."

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# Florist Hazel stars in Downing Street

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THE skilled handiwork of a Harlow florist is gracing one of the most prominent locations in London.

Hazel Fisher, the owner of Joys Flowers in Bush Fair, was approached by Harlow MP Robert Halfon to make a Christmas wreath to hang from the front door of Number 11 Downing Street – the official residence of Chancellor of the Exchequer George Osborne.

Mr Halfon, who was appointed Parliamentary Private Secretary to the Chancellor earlier this year, turned to Hazel for help when he was asked by Mr Osborne to obtain the decoration.

"I was delighted when the Chancellor asked for a wreath from Harlow for the front door of Number 11," he said. "Hazel made a really beautiful and amazing wreath."

Hazel and her partner were invited to Downing Street along with Mr Halfon to see the wreath being placed on the door. They then had a short meeting with Mr Osborne who thanked Hazel for her efforts and asked about her business.

"It's lovely that a small business from Harlow has been chosen for this honour," she



**DOOR DECORATION:** Florist Hazel Fisher and her partner, left, with Chancellor of the Exchequer George Osborne and Harlow MP Robert Halfon at the entrance to 11 Downing Street

said afterwards. "It represents Harlow at the heart of Government and shows the real importance and value of small businesses."

The wreath will remain on the front door of Number 11 until the decorations are taken down next week.

Mr Halfon added: "I am really

proud that this year there is a piece of Harlow at Number 11. Hazel made the wreath at really short notice; she is a fantastic lady."

## Travellers served with health warning over 'human waste'

A PUBLIC health notice has been served on 24 Travellers by Harlow Council after human waste was found on public land near the former Passmores School site.

The notice, which was served on the Friday before Christmas, warned the Travellers that if they failed to comply the council would take formal action which could result in a criminal conviction.

The council said it had received a number of complaints about Travellers who had moved on to the site defecating in the open as well as the accumulation of human waste and toilet paper on public land, along with other rubbish.

Residents living near the site have also reported noise from disc cutters, loud music and generators running during the day and at night. All the information and evidence was passed to Essex Police.

As well as issuing the public health notice, the council asked police to consider issuing a Section 61 notice as a result of the number of complaints about human waste, rubbish and noise nuisance.

A statement released by the council last Tuesday said it had received a response from the police which stated officers had attended the site to warn the Travellers about the complaints.

Although consideration had been given to issuing a Section 61 notice it was decided not to proceed with this

course of action.

The police response continued: "We are continuing to monitor the site and will work with Essex County Council which owns the land, Harlow Council and other agencies to ensure a legal and lawful course of conduct is pursued, being cognisant of human rights, available legal legislation and considerations of members of the community."

"However, we must recognise that the word significant is utilised within legislation/guidelines which must be considered in any

deliberation to utilise punitive powers."

Essex County Council has obtained two court orders requiring the Travellers to leave the site.

Meanwhile, Harlow Council has served Travellers who were part of an

unauthorised encampment of 18 caravans on tennis courts at Abercrombie Way with a £79 bill to clean up rubbish and human waste.

Council leader Jon Clempner said: "The situation has gone on far too long and the existing powers which we use on a daily basis are not resolving the problem."

"I appreciate the community's frustration with the whole situation. We will continue to ask the police to consider using their powers available and urge the Government to change the law to enable the council to stop the 'cat and mouse' movements of the Travellers from one site to another."



**COMPLAINTS:** The Traveller encampment on the former Passmores School site

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# Santa's reindeer take a break for school visits

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FATHER Christmas visited schools in Harlow in the days before the Christmas break and he took with him some special friends.

Santa and two of his reindeer visited youngsters at Jerounds Primary and Longwood Primary schools shortly before the end of term.

Meanwhile, at Cook Spinney Primary School, in Cooks Spinney, there was another big event when the school staged pupils' first art exhibition.

Year 3 pupils proudly showed off their pieces of work which were inspired by their Roman themed Wow day.

Back in September the year group enjoyed a whole day in character as the

LONGWOOD PRIMARY



dressed up as slaves, shopkeepers and stallholders to learn all about the Romans.

Their long-term homework project was to work with their parents to create anything on a Roman theme.



JEROUNDS PRIMARY: Santa Claus and his reindeer with Year 2 pupils Ruby-May, Archie, Ava-Mai and Mason

## Pupils lift the spirits with carol-singing session at hospital

PATIENTS, visitors and staff at Princess Alexandra Hospital were treated to a chorus of cheerful Christmas caroling by children from Tany's Dell Community Primary School in Harlow.

A group of 20 pupils and teachers stood in a corner of the hospital restaurant to entertain with some Christmas classics.

A number of patients and staff even popped in to join in a singalong. Deputy headteacher

Fern Middleton said: "The children love going out to take part in events like this. It's so nice of the hospital to let them go along."

PAH voluntary services manager Emma Taylor said: "It was such an uplifting morning and was popular with staff and visitors alike."

"It certainly made my day and I think the children really enjoyed themselves!"



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## Allowances paid to members of council cabinet to be cut by 5%

THE amount of money paid in allowances to members of Harlow Council's cabinet is to be cut by five per cent next year.

In addition, the annual basic allowance paid to all councillors has been frozen at £4,720, which is the same level it has been since 2011 when the council cut the allowance by £100 a year.

There will also be a small change to the allowances paid to opposition group leaders to reflect the fact there are now two on the council – the Conservatives and UKIP.

From April the council leader will receive £6,840 (cut from £7,200), the deputy leader £4,655 (cut from £4,900) and portfolio holders £2,850 (cut from £3,000). The leaders of the opposition groups will get £200 per group member up to a maximum of £2,000.

The overall cut in cabinet allowances will cover the increase from the change to allowances for opposition group leaders.

The changes, which received cross-party support, followed a review by an independent remuneration panel.

Council leader Jon Clempner said: "The independent panel noted that our allowances are among the lowest of all Essex and Hertfordshire councils and following this decision they will continue to be.

"When we are looking at prioritising what services we fund we need to look at where we can save money and not increase spending to help protect services and not impact on residents. While services and jobs are being cut across the country due to budget reductions, increasing the allowances of public officials sends out the completely wrong message.

"We have a responsibility to take the lead in helping to keep spending down. Freezing allowances and cutting the allowances paid to senior councillors is the right thing to do when residents continue to be impacted by the economic pressures."

■ HARLOW Council will save more than £150,000 by shutting down most of its services over the Christmas and New Year period.

Arrangements have been in place for people to access services and information online and an emergency hotline is available on (01279) 446666. A 24-hour emergency repairs service is also available on New Year's Day and during out-of-hours.

Council leader Jon Clempner said: "By shutting down over Christmas and New Year, the council continues to save money on a reduction in staff working hours, energy and building costs.

"Essential services like bin collections are unaffected and will continue over this period but working to a revised collection schedule."



FROM THIS: Harlow Rugby Club's current ground at Ram Gorse . . .



TO THIS: Lutton Farm, where the club will be building state-of-the-art facilities

# Go-ahead for rugby club to move to new ground

## Council planners approve proposal for 125 homes at Ram Gorse

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PLANS to build a state-of-the-art rugby ground at Lutton Farm and build 125 homes on Harlow Rugby Club's current site at Ram Gorse have been given the green light.

Members of Harlow Council's development management committee approved the two proposals which were submitted jointly by Kier Living and Harlow Rugby Union Club.

The plans for Ram Gorse are for a development of 125 homes – 113 houses and 12 flats – of which almost a third will be so-called 'affordable' housing.

The 7.5 hectare plot of land at Lutton Farm will provide the rugby club with a new home which will include a pavilion and six pitches. Access to the site will be from Howard Way.

Speaking before the meeting, president Alan Price said the club – which has 350 playing members across 16 teams including six mini rugby and four girls and women's sides – was desperate to upgrade its

facilities so that it can continue to meet the growing demand and secure its long-term future.

"Our current facilities are completely unsuitable for children and ladies teams," he said. "To keep membership fees at a reasonable level we need to raise £100,000 a year from the clubhouse and bar which is hard with our current shabby and dated facilities."

The plans were welcomed by Councillor Maggie Hulcoop, who said: "I think the rugby club need to move on and we need this housing in the town. It's about time we took it forward and put the housing in."

Councillors also felt that a state-of-the-art facility for the rugby club would benefit the town.

"This site is absolutely ideal," said Councillor Sue Livings. "We need to support the rugby club. I will

be supporting this application."

But Harlow Civic Society vice-chairman John Curry said that while it was "very supportive" of sporting groups, nothing had changed since a previous planning application to develop the Ram Gorse site was turned down by the council in 2011.

"Elizabeth Way is still there and it's still a very busy road that isolates the site," he said, adding that people living in the new homes would need to cross Elizabeth Way – which currently has a 50mph speed limit – to reach schools, shops and doctors surgeries.

"It's totally unsuitable," he added. "It's just a suburb with no connection to the town."

Councillor Jean Clark added: "My main objection is it's the wrong place for housing. It's completely isolated. It's on a dangerous road which is highly congested."

Mr Curry also branded plans to develop the Lutton Farm site a "disgrace" as they represented development on one of the town's green wedges.

Both plans were approved by six votes to one.

### Your views on facebook

■ Finally the rugby club will catch up with the rest of Harlow's sports facilities. This can only be a great thing for the youngsters of Harlow – Pete Almond

■ Brilliant news for the rugby club and the town whereby a sporting facility that has outgrown its current site can encourage more youngsters of both sexes off the streets and into a safe, welcoming and happy environment – David Stradling

■ Well done Harlow Council, this decision should have been made years ago! – Chris McFerran

■ Is it worth a try sorting out our road network first? If we have another incident on the M25 how will Harlow cope? – Nigel Pittey

■ How is the road network down that way going to be improved to cope with the extra traffic? – Faye Clark

■ Agree with some points about sustainability in the future – schooling, potential traffic issues. We're a town which tends to cope in the main, though – Joy Hale

■ Where will the children from those new houses be schooled? – Elaine Farrance



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**GIVING:** Staff from Grove Cottage with students from Saint Nicholas School at a special presentation

## Oven cleaning scheme to reduce kitchen fires

A SCHEME to clean the ovens of elderly and vulnerable people in a bid to reduce the number of kitchen fires is being rolled out across Essex.

After piloting the initiative in Thurrock, the Essex County Fire and Rescue Service has decided to extend it.

Fire prevention officer Tony Howard, who masterminded the scheme, said: "I was visiting an elderly man who had suffered smoke inhalation after a fire in his kitchen. Talking to him, I realised the fire had started because he was no longer able to clean his oven."

"He has a care assistant who visits and the rest of his home was spotless, but that service doesn't extend to cleaning ovens."

"Two days later there was another incident just a few roads away which also started in a dirty oven. That made me realise that delivering an oven cleaning service would be a fantastic way to prevent kitchen fires among some of the most vulnerable people in the county."

Under the scheme, people who are physically unable to clean their oven are referred to ECFRS by friends and family or other care services. They will then receive a home visit, which includes the fitting of smoke alarms and an assessment of their kitchen.

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# Students excel as pound-stretchers

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STUDENTS from a school in Old Harlow have presented a charity for the disabled with more than £6,000 raised when they took part in a 'Grow a £' campaign.

The youngsters from Saint Nicholas School, in Hobbs Cross Road, signed up for the fundraiser in aid of Grove Cottage – the home of Mencap in Bishop's Stortford – earlier this year.

The idea of the initiative was to spend £1 purchasing items which could then be used to generate more cash.

Students in Years 9, 10 and 11 at the independent school organised various fundraising events including a bike ride, staff against students netball match and a Hallows' fancy dress party.

Eleanor Mulinder, deputy head of upper school at Saint Nicholas, said: "The students really took on the challenge and we are delighted to have raised a total of £6,456.90 – £1,600 in cash and £4,856.90 in 'gifts in kind' to Grove Cottage."

### Bonds

"It has been fantastic working with Grove Cottage and we hope to build on this relationship, forming stronger bonds with the local community and helping the children to see how they really can make a difference."

Natalie Trapmore, fundraising officer at Grove Cottage, said: "It's brilliant how the children at Saint Nicholas School took on the challenge and raised a fantastic amount of money for Grove Cottage."

One of the youngsters involved, Sophie O'Keeffe, told her parents about the 'Grow a £' challenge – which led to the whole family getting involved.

Sophie's father, Simon, visited Grove Cottage and has supported the facility by providing new flooring in its sensory room, the creation of a sensory corridor, new storage solutions and food for the charity's Christmas parties.

Mr O'Keeffe, who is managing director of Epping-based Comprehensive Elevator Services, said: "We had the idea of asking some of our suppliers and business contacts to offer their support by way of goods, services and labour as opposed to the usual cash donations."

"This has proved to be successful with several companies willing to help."

## Four-legged crimefighters join the force



PC Paul Screech and Razor, Sgt Jamie Edwards with Rhianna, PC Andy Blunt with Ronnie and PC Stuart Casserly with Roscoe

FOUR new recruits will soon be sniffing out criminals policing the streets of Essex after completing their training.

The quartet are the latest addition to the county force's dog unit. After completing 13 weeks of training the four German Shepherds – Rhianna, Roscoe, Ronnie and Razor – became fully fledged general purpose police dogs.

The dogs have been learning to track, search and detain potential suspects since they started the course with trainer PC Dave Frost in September.

All four were born at the dog unit last year after Essex Police introduced its own puppy breeding programme.

Until they were ready to begin their training the puppies were homed with volunteers who introduced them to as many environments, noises and surroundings as possible.

At around 15 months old Rhianna, Roscoe, Ronnie and Razor were paired with their police officer handlers to begin training.

Inspector Brad Dickel said:

"Roscoe, Ronnie Razor and Rhianna have passed their recent basic course with flying colours and will now join the wider dog section team in providing specialist operational support to local policing."

"My thanks and appreciation goes to the course trainer Dave Frost together with handlers Andy Blunt, Stuart Casserly, Jamie Edwards and Paul Screech, all of whom have worked tirelessly to build a strong bond with the dogs ensuring they develop into their full potential."

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# RANGERS CLUB

## A science lab in space



ASTRONOMERS have been scanning the night skies above the UK over the past few weeks to see if they can catch a glimpse of the International Space Station as it orbits the Earth. But just what are they looking for?

The ISS is a large spacecraft which is used as a science laboratory by the astronauts who live on board. It is made of many pieces which were assembled while it orbited the

surface of our planet at a height of 220 miles.

The first piece was launched on board a Russian rocket in 1998. After that, more pieces were added and two years later it was ready to receive its first 'residents'.

The first crew arrived in October 2000 and ever since then astronauts from 15 different countries around the world have been living on board at one time or another.

The space station is larger

than a six-bedroom house and can accommodate up to six people. It has two bathrooms and a gymnasium, weighs almost a million pounds and is big enough to cover a football field.

With plans to send humans further into space than ever before - possibly a manned mission to Mars - the work being carried out on the space station now will be used to prepare for the long journeys that lie ahead.

## RANGER of the week



**Oliver (member 20160), of Whieldon Grange, Harlow**

### DECEMBER 28

**Ronnie** (member 1113), of Arkwrights, Harlow, is 7.

### JANUARY 1

**Benjamin** (member 599), of Chippingfield, Old Harlow, is 10.

### JANUARY 2

**Oliver** (member 1232), of Shawbridge, Harlow, is 10.

**Happy Birthday**

### JANUARY 3

**Callum** (member 1215), of Little Brays, Harlow, is 3.

### JANUARY 4

**Skye** (member 909), of Longfield, Harlow, is 8.

### JANUARY 5

**Daisy** (member 1162), of Coalport Close, Harlow, is 4.

### JANUARY 6

**Luchia** (member 884), of Little Pynchons, Harlow, is 11.

### JANUARY 8

**Billie** (member 855), of The Hornbeams, Harlow, is 9.

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## Kick start the new year with 5km Parkrun

THE team of volunteers behind Harlow Parkrun is organising a special New Year's Day event in the Town Park.

Hundreds of people have already taken part in the Saturday morning 5km runs since they were launched in October.

The New Year's Day event will start at 10am. Runners should meet on the cycle track near The Greyhound pub car park.

Anyone interested in taking part in Thursday's run – or any other parkrun – should register online to get a barcode which they need to take with them in order to get a run time. All ability levels are welcome.

Parkrun is managed and supervised by a team of dedicated volunteers. If you would like to help out, e-mail [harlowhelpers@parkrun.com](mailto:harlowhelpers@parkrun.com) to register your interest.



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## Spurs stars play pass the parcels at hospital

YOUNG patients at Harlow's Princess Alexandra Hospital got a surprise when four first team players from Premiership side Tottenham Hotspur popped in for visit.

Danny Rose, Ben Davies, Nabil Bentaleb and Ryan Mason turned up with a sackful of Christmas presents to distribute to children on Dolphin Ward.

One of those to receive a gift was football-mad four-year-old Taylor Jackson who had been in the hospital for nine days receiving treatment for pneumonia.

Mum Lyndsey, 32, said: "Although he's an Arsenal fan he was amazed when he met the players. The visit really brightened his day and put a huge smile on his face."

### Poorly

"He hadn't smiled for a week until they walked round the corner. He has been very poorly."

The players spoke to all the young patients and their families on the ward.

PAH play specialist Rachel Naunton said:

"They were extremely kind and friendly and they showed great compassion towards the children," she said.

"It's always lovely to bring smiles to the faces of those children who are with us over the Christmas period and this visit from the Spurs team certainly did that."

Full-back Ben Davies, who joined the club from Swansea in the summer, said: "The visit was a great experience. I really enjoyed the afternoon."

**HOT SHOTS:** Taylor Jackson meets Spurs players Nabil Bentaleb, Danny Rose, Ryan Mason and Ben Davies

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# Train operator to spend £1.5m on providing better services

Ken Morley

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TRAIN operator Abellio Greater Anglia is to invest a further £1.5m in improving punctuality and consistency of service across its network.

The company has announced it will implement a series of actions to improve train reliability following what it described as a "challenging few weeks".

The improvements include modifications to trains, recruitment of additional staff and further upgrades to train presentation standards. The key actions are:

- Reliability modifications to the doors on Class 315, 317 and 321 electric trains used on Great Eastern and West Anglia services to and from London.

- More overnight door maintenance and repair resources at key locations to tackle and prevent disruptive door faults, helping improve punctuality on services to and from London.

- Modifications and upgrades to the electrical and mechanical systems on the Class 315, 317 and 321 electric trains used on Great Eastern and West Anglia services to and from London.

- Improving the maintenance depot systems for changing train wheels and motors.

- Additional resources to further strengthen round the clock technical support for the train fleet.

- Four additional engineers and technical support staff to help deliver performance improvement schemes, in addition to the six announced last month.

- Fourteen additional cleaning staff, in addition to the 40 extra staff announced last month, to continue the focus on cleaner trains.

The programme of improvements will start

immediately and be delivered over the next six months.

Although Abellio Greater Anglia's annual punctuality results place it 10th out of the 22 UK train operators, it admits its performance over the past few weeks was not good enough.

"The autumn is traditionally a more difficult period for UK train performance but this year has been especially problematic, primarily due to infrastructure faults such as track, signalling and overhead line problems plus an increase in problems due to weather-related disruption," said a spokesman.

There has also been a 50 per cent increase in the number of fatal incidents compared to 2013.

Abellio Greater Anglia managing director Jamie Burles said: "We are sorry that recent performance has not been reliable enough. We are listening to our customers' feedback every day and we are anxious to address their concerns."

"This extensive programme of performance and service delivery initiatives is deliberately designed to address issues regarding recent performance head on. By investing further in the reliability and condition of our fleet of trains, we expect to see improvements in train punctuality over the coming months."

"Some actions will have a quicker impact than others, but in tandem with all the work Network Rail is doing to address infrastructure problems, we are determined they will make a positive difference in 2015."

He added: "In addition, the recently announced service quality investments to the on-train environment for a number of our carriages, plus other improvements to Sunday timetables and station facilities, mean that customers should see a real, positive difference to service standards over the next year."



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# Family Announcements

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## Birthday Greetings

### Happy Birthday



**Abbie Carter**

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**18th**

## Thanks

### UNDERDOWN

**Joan, John, Graham and David**

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## Bereavements

### FARGUSON GWEN

Paul and Nikki wish to announce the sad passing of Gwen after a short illness.

Funeral will be on 6th January 2015 at 11.30am at Parndon Wood Crematorium. All welcome but please wear bright colours.

Family flowers only please but donations if desired to "Children with Cancer" c/o Daniel Robinson & Sons, Harlow 01279 426990.

## Bereavements

### Gerald (Gerry) HARRIS

Passed away peacefully on Friday 19th December 2014 aged 83 years.

A much loved husband, father, gramps and brother who will be so sadly missed by family, friends, and a past Captain at Cannons Brook Golf Club.

A special person, a special laugh, a special someone we cannot replace. Those we love don't go away, they walk beside us every day. In our hearts he will stay loved and remembered all day.

Funeral will take place at Parndon Wood on Thursday, 8th January 2015 at 11.15. All enquiries to Masterstons Funeral Directors.

### IVY ROSE HYDE

Sadly passed away at the Princess Alexandra Hospital on 18th December 2014 aged 88 years.

A dearly loved Wife, Mother, Nan and Great Nan who will be missed by her family and friends.

Funeral service to take place at Parndon Wood Crematorium Chapel on Tuesday 6th January 2015 at 12.15pm followed by burial in the Cemetery.

Flowers may be sent to Daniel Robinson & Sons, Wych Elm, Harlow CM20 1QP. Telephone 01279 426990.

### Edwin LAW (Owen)

Sadly passed away on 19th December 2014, aged 80 at home surrounded by his family.

Funeral to take place at Parndon Wood Crematorium on Wednesday 7th January at 2:30pm.

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### VAL SEAR (NEE VAUGHAN)

Fell Asleep on 16th December 2014, aged 71 years.

Val will be sadly missed by all her family and friends.

All are welcome at her Funeral Service at Parndon Wood Crematorium, on Friday 2nd January 2015, at 10am.

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## In Memoriam

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**Maureen FOXWELL (03/01/2014)**

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## In Memoriam

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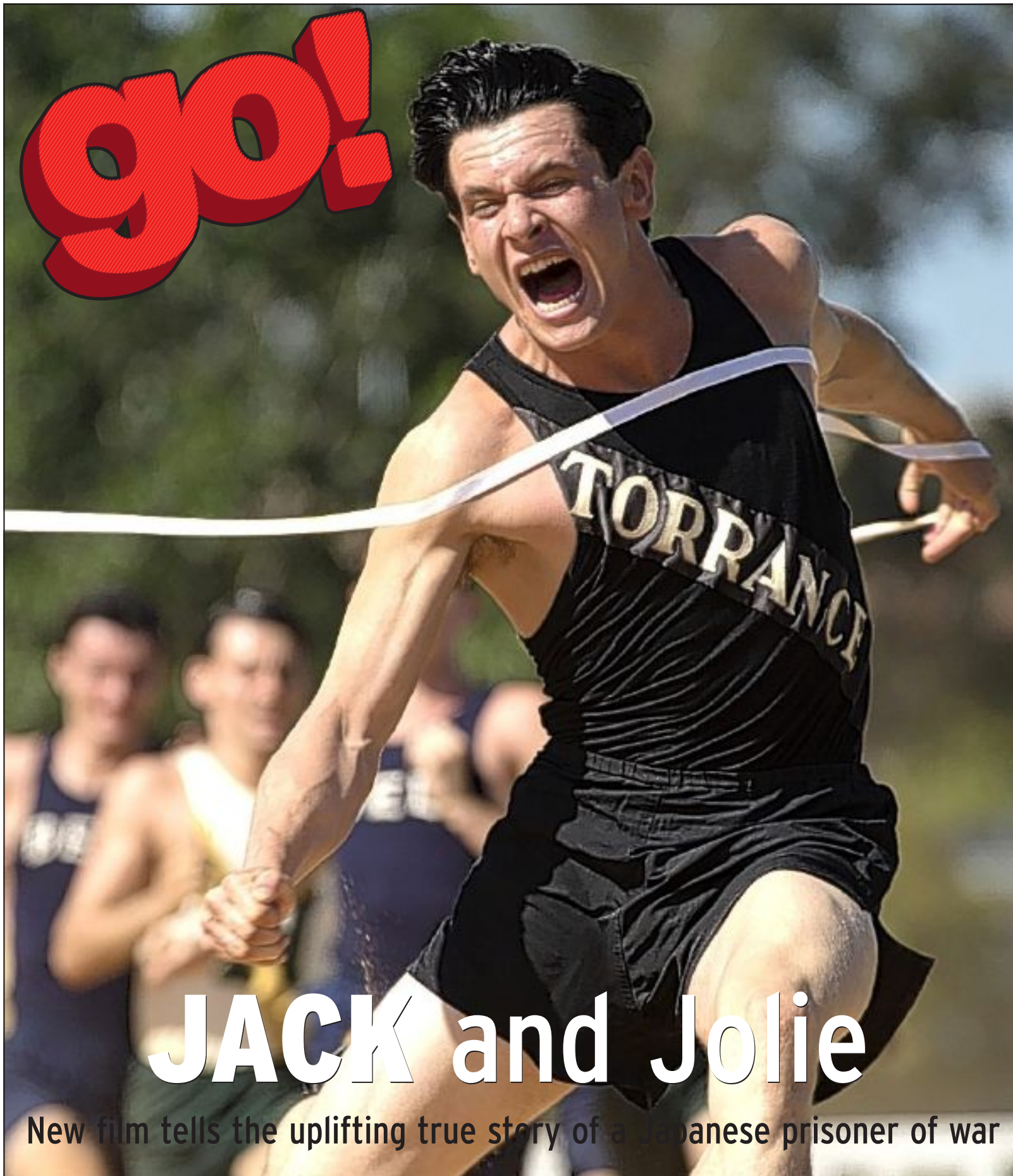
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DRAMA/WAR/ACTION (15) 137MINS

Angelina Jolie's third feature film behind the camera has all the hallmarks of 24-carat Academy Awards bait.

Based on the book by Laura Hillenbrand, *Unbroken* documents the extraordinary true story of Louis Zamperini who competed at the 1936 Olympic Games, survived a plane crash during the Second World War and then endured torture at the hands of the Japanese in a POW camp.

Jolie's admiration for her subject is evident in every gorgeously crafted frame of this life-affirming biopic, which is blessed with Roger Deakins' stunning cinematography and an elegiac score from composer Alexandre Desplat.

As a boy, Louis (Jack O'Connell) drives his parents (Vincenzo Amato, Maddalena Ischiale) to distraction with his fisticuffs. Louis narrowly avoids reform school and his older brother Pete (Alex Russell), a star of the school athletics team, decides to channel his sibling's energy and aggression into running.

These efforts reap rewards and Louis is selected to represent America at the Berlin Olympics where he finishes a creditable eighth after a blistering final lap of 56 seconds.

War breaks out and Louis serves in the US Army Air Force alongside best friend Russell Phillips (Domhnall Gleeson). Their B-24 bomber crashes into Pacific, killing everyone except Louis, Russell and fellow recruit Francis McNamara (Finn Wittrock).

The men drift through shark-infested waters with little food or water until a Japanese crew picks them up. The men are tortured and separated. Louis is sent to a POW camp where sadistic commander Mutsuhiro Watanabe (Miyavi) sets out to break the Olympian's spirit.

*Unbroken* soars close to greatness, emboldened by tour-de-force performances from O'Connell and pop star Miyavi, who makes his professional acting debut. The twisted relationship between sworn enemies is intricately sketched by the four scriptwriters.

Fifty-two years after his release from the POW camp, a sprightly 80-year-old Zamperini returned to Japan as an honoured guest rather than a captive to run a leg of the Tokyo Olympics torch marathon. With every step, he inspired friends and one-time foes to forgive and begin the seemingly impossible healing process.



## Exodus: Gods and Kings

ACTION/DRAMA/ROMANCE  
(12A) 150MINS

The history of cinema is bookmarked by defining moments. The 1933 version of *King Kong*, *The Wizard Of Oz*, *Ben-Hur*, *Cleopatra*, *Star Wars*, *Jurassic Park* and *Titanic* pushed the technology of the era to the limit in pursuit of jaw-dropping spectacle.

Cecil B DeMille's final picture, *The Ten Commandments* starring Charlton Heston and Yul Brynner, sits proudly in that illustrious company. Shot in blistering heat, the 1956 biblical epic was the most expensive film of its time.

Almost 60 years later, *Gladiator* director Ridley Scott attempts with limited success to update the biblical story for a modern generation raised on eye-popping digital trickery.

Before an assault on the Hittite army, an Egyptian High Priestess (Indira Varma) predicts a leader will be saved and his saviour will one day lead. In the heat of battle, Moses (Christian Bale) saves the pharaoh's son Ramses (Joel Edgerton). Soon after, King Seti I (John Turturro) dies and Ramses ascends the throne.

Seeds of suspicion, sown by the priestess's prophecy, flourish and when Ramses learns that Moses is the child of Hebrews the new pharaoh banishes his adopted brother to the wilderness. Nine years later, Moses is settled in Midian with a wife Zipporah (Maria Valverde) and son Gershom (Hal Hewetson).

Following a storm, he encounters a burning bush and a messenger of God in the form of a boy (Isaac Andrews). The child reveals that God has tasked Moses with leading 400,000 Hebrew slaves to freedom.



**PRISONER OF WAR:** Jack O'Connell plays Louis Zamperini in a Japanese prisoner camp

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# ANGIE and me

Angelina Jolie hand-picked **Jack O'Connell** for her new film *Unbroken*. **Jeananne Craig** finds out why the Derby actor couldn't let the 'wonder woman' down and what taking on the role involved

**A**NGELINA Jolie is a woman of many talents – actress, director, humanitarian, mum-of-six, and, most recently, honorary Derby lass.

At the recent Hollywood Film Awards, the Oscar-winner introduced East Midlands actor Jack O'Connell to the stage with a spirited, if not note-perfect, "Ay up me duck".

The gesture delighted O'Connell, who was accepting the New Hollywood gong for his role in the Jolie-directed *Unbroken*, a film about the extraordinary life of US Olympic athlete and Japanese prisoner of war Louis Zamperini.

"My whole city just hit the roof. I'm a big deal in Derby now, so is she," the 24-year-old jokes. "She's sorted in Derby if she needs a roof over her head; she's got her back covered. No one's ever done that for the city on such a big podium. Saying 'Ay up me duck', it's a big deal."

The former *Skins* star has also introduced Jolie – or 'Angie', as he calls her – to the delights of his beloved local football team, Derby County. "She loves Derby, I talked her into supporting the Rams. I don't know how keenly she's going to follow us..."

Jolie hand-picked O'Connell to play Zamperini, an Olympic runner and US airman who survived in a raft for 47 days after a plane crash during the Second World War, only to be caught by the Japanese navy

and sent to a prisoner-of-war camp.

Zamperini died in July this year, aged 97, but prior to filming in Australia, O'Connell got the chance to meet him in Los Angeles.

"I remember two words of advice in particular [from Zamperini]: 'Be hardy', which I still haven't worked out; I don't know the distinction between hardy and obnoxious, perhaps," he adds with a smile.

"But I guess as an individual, seeing the way his brain ticked and how relaxed and popular he was around women – effortlessly – these were things I needed to discover before portraying him."

O'Connell also took inspiration from author Laura Hillenbrand's bestseller *Unbroken*, on which the film is based.

"There was one snippet which I found priceless when I was out in Australia, and that was the description of [Louis] that, like many of his generation, a common trait between them was that they'd approach everything, no matter what it was, with good cheer."

"So many pennies dropped then for me. I thought, 'Well, what do we know in terms of adversities, really, in our generation, without having experienced anything to that scale?' I thought that was priceless and that gave me a little key, a little window into that era and what cheer might be."

O'Connell's respect for Jolie, who

coincidentally was a neighbour of Zamperini's, "goes through the roof".

"She really led by example throughout. I think that's a great metaphor for how I felt under her leadership – she's capable so there's no reason I can't be. I was comparing myself there to a wonder woman!" he adds, grinning.

Jolie was also hands-on when it came to testing out stunts – including one in which Zamperini was ordered to hold a huge log over his head as punishment by a cruel camp guard.

"She got under the plank before I turned up," O'Connell marvels. "She was figuring out how I felt and all that kind of stuff. She couldn't resist, she wanted to get stuck in there."

O'Connell briefly harboured ambitions of joining the forces himself after his parents sent him to army cadets as a youngster. "Whatever experience I had in the army I find very useful on set. The whole idea of standing to attention, dealing with authority, helps your day along," he notes.

He left school with just two GCSEs but discovered a talent for drama and began successfully auditioning for roles. Having a father employed by the railways meant he was able to catch a train to auditions for free.

His first professional job was in BBC soap *Doctors* in 2005, followed by roles in *The Bill*, *Waterloo Road* and *Holby City*. His film debut came in Shane Meadows' *This Is England* (2006), and earlier this year he impressed in prison drama *Starred Up* and '71, a thriller set in Belfast during the Troubles.

He now owns his own flat in London and is rumoured to be dating model Cara Delevingne, his co-star in upcoming film *Tulip Fever*.

"I think that was all with one eye slightly focused on now, doing all of that," O'Connell says of those youthful train journeys. "Hopefully, there was a way out of where I'm from, a chance to really define myself and do something with my life."

"So it is very humbling, recalling all of that, to be here now."

■ *Unbroken* is screening in cinemas now.



**ON SET:** Angelina Jolie and Jack O'Connell during the filming of *Unbroken*

For a full listing of films showing at Harlow Cineworld visit [www.harlowstar.co.uk](http://www.harlowstar.co.uk)



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**PANTO TIME:** From left, Connor Linden as Idle Jack, Phil Dale as Sarah the Cook, Amy Moulder as Dick, Conor O'Sullivan as Itchy, Daniel James as Scratchy and Will Lynch as Bro in Dick Whittington and His Magical Cat



# DICK mixes old and new

**N**O-ONE can accuse the team behind the Rhodes pantomime in Bishop's Stortford of not moving with the times.

Dick Whittington and His Magical Cat certainly ticks all the traditional panto boxes: gender-crossing cast members, a blend of song, dance and slapstick, audience participation and gags (some of which are *not* for all the family) woven into a well-known fairy tale.

But the festive production – the fifth at Rhodes by Phil Dale's Phoenix Theatre Arts – is very much of its time, with a Russian oligarch in his 100-storey office HQ as the baddie, a London mayoral election and even the ubiquitous selfie getting in on the act.

Saturday night's gala show was one of 36 scheduled performances in 23 days for the 40-strong cast, who have been rehearsing since October, plus crew.

A TV news bulletin introduces the audience to Ratputin, the Russian owner of PutInDustries who has an aversion to cats and an ambition to be mayor of London.

Meanwhile, young Dick is en route to the capital to seek his fortune when he hooks up with a cat called Tom, who expresses himself using the medium of hip hop. Dick lands a job at Fitzzy's bakery, where he meets Sarah the Cook and her son Idle Jack, and falls in love with bakery owner's daughter Alice.

When Dick and Tom flout the city ban on cats, Ratputin orders henchmen Itchy, Scratchy and Bro to dispatch the moggy. Unwilling to carry out their master's murderous plan, they instead frame Dick for stealing the bakery's dough.

After an ocean voyage to source exotic supplies for the bakery and an encounter with an island's hippy chief and his tribesfolk, Dick and the gang return to London to confront Ratputin once and for all.

It's a typically vibrant, energetic and colourful panto, where the costumes (including brilliant rat masks), design and choreography reach the bar set by previous Rhodes/Phoenix productions. I particularly enjoyed the opening scene of Act 2, when the cast, as shipmates and passengers aboard the *Saucy Sue*, abandoned the stage

to encircle the audience, belting out the adapted chorus of The Pogues' *Fiesta*. Feisty stuff.

There are no weak links in the cast, who gel well.

Producer and co-writer Phil Dale – a former general manager of Harlow Playhouse – ditched his usual villain's black robes to don the dame's dress for the first time in 21 years as Sarah the Cook, whose beard and bover boots prevent him from being fully in touch with his feminine side. The comedy is safe in his hands.

Amy Moulder, who was a memorable Nancy in *Oliver!* at Rhodes in 2012, showed her versatility in the title role as Dick.

The musical theatre training of Duncan Rutherford was to the fore as Ratputin. He moved with grace and style and his Russian accent was good, but too strong in parts and the dialogue was occasionally lost.

Connor Linden, as Idle Jack, had the task of leading the audience interaction. He was also largely responsible for adapting chart hits by the likes of Katy Perry, Pharrell

Williams and Miley Cyrus for the show, and composed a couple of original songs, including opening number *Hero for Hire*.

Conor O'Sullivan (who co-wrote) and Daniel James resumed their slick slapstick partnership as Itchy and Scratchy, joined this year by Will Lynch (Genie in last year's *Aladdin*) as non-speaking Bro.

Not for the first time, Jack Downey's animated performances – in the roles of Alderman Fitzwarren, the captain of the *Saucy Sue* and the island chief – caught the eye.

As for "magical" cat Tom, mindful of the fact that I'm the wrong side of 50, I tread carefully in any criticism of youth culture. Maybe because Sunanda Biswas – who co-choreographed the NHS sequence in the London Olympics opening ceremony – was billed as "international hip hop artist" or maybe because I'm used to spectacular routines on TV programmes like *Britain's Got Talent*, but I was largely underwhelmed.

Paul Winspear

## Hip Hop Popsters star in two music videos – and a third is on its way

YOUNGSTERS from Harlow-based dance school Hip Hop Pop have performed in two music videos.

The first – *Put Your Hands On Me* by Jessica Alice, pictured right – was filmed in a car park and saw the Hip Hop Pop crew perform a slick on-point routine choreographed specifically for the video.

The Hip Hop Pop dancers were also filmed wearing animal heads while dancing with Jessica.

After that they performed in a video for *These Days* by singer Paul Middleton, filmed at Seen nightclub in Harlow town centre. All profits from the sale of the singer's album *Covers 2* will go to Cancer Research.

The video is set around a dance audition where the Hip Hop Poppers deliberately dance their very worst before impressing the judges with some spectacular moves.

Afterwards, Middleton posted a message on Facebook in which he said: "You guys are so incredibly talented, professional and easy to work with. I wish all the success because you deserve it."

Hip Hop Pop have a third video lined up to film in London on January 3 for a new up-and-coming artist.

Jenny Bater, owner of Hip Hop Pop, said: "We have had such a fun and successful year in 2014 and 2015 looks set to be even greater."

"With success brings opportunities for our members of all ages, and we are proud to share these opportunities with our students. Our doors are always open to new members so don't be shy, come along."



## WHAT'S ON

### CINDERELLA

**WHERE:** Harlow Playhouse  
**WHEN:** Until Sunday, January 4

**HOW MUCH:** £10 to £22

**DETAILS:** www.playhouseharlow.com  
The world's favourite pantomime will sweep into town this Christmas, as *Cinderella* reaches for the stars at Harlow Playhouse. Featuring great comedy, music and dance, *Cinderella* will be our most visually stunning show yet, with astounding effects, ingenious sets and luscious costumes. Actor and TV presenter Joe Swash will be flying straight back from the jungle to join us as Buttons. Joining him will be a fabulous cast of leading UK performers, including leading dames Antony Stuart-Hicks and Paul Leno, a sensational professional ensemble, and young talent from the Pauline Quirke Academy. What's more, this year visitors have free use of the play area and Winter Wonderland Experience. So escape from the kitchen, join us for the ball, and create some magical memories for all the family this Festive Season.

### MIDPOINT 2015

**WHERE:** The Gibberd Gallery

**WHEN:** From Wednesday, January 8

**DETAILS:** www.gibberdgallery.co.uk  
Harlow Art Trust is committed to supporting new talent and has selected three artists that show exceptional, exciting artworks, full of innovation and promise. Abe Pardue is a Harlow artist, who studied and lives locally. Abe said: "My work is at a point of transition from almost abstract paintings based on corners of rooms, light and shadow where I utilise a dampened palette to more bright and figurative works. The earlier paintings are about stillness and the process of painting; influenced by Eastern philosophical and spiritual teachings, the work was also motivated by moment to moment experiences, the process of painting and how it changes as well as the viewer's relationship with the paintings. My recent paintings are of people from memory or photographs that I find visually striking. They are of either people I know or strangers that I have seen on the street that I have drawn in my sketchbook which have then evolved into a painting." Other artists exhibiting are Sarah Foyster and Anwar Talukdar.

### AN ARTIST'S LIFE

**WHERE:** The Gallery at Parndon Mill  
**WHEN:** From Wednesday, January 15

**DETAILS:** www.parndonmill.co.uk  
While most of the paintings in this exhibition were produced during the last twelve months, Anthony Cleyndert frequently returns to paintings and prints he has made over the years, adding new touches and ideas. This exhibition represents much of his working life as an artist. He said: "My work spans four decades and I paint from the things I feel and observe. My early paintings and prints were conceived in a linear way and are concerned with landscape and architectural space, coming from the light of Norfolk red and flint walls and Dutch buildings. Parndon Mill with its setting of water provided me with all the inspiration I needed."

## GIGS

### FUBAR

**WHERE:** The Drinker Moth, Harlow  
**WHEN:** Thursday, January 2

### REPERTOIRE DOGS

**WHERE:** The Shark, Harlow  
**WHEN:** Fri day, January 3

### NOBLEOX

**WHERE:** Harlow War Memorial Snooker and Social Club, Harlow  
**WHEN:** Friday, January 3

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**WHERE:** The Square, Fourth Avenue, Harlow  
**WHEN:** Friday, January 9  
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## THREE OF THE BEST...

If Christmas pudding isn't your thing and you're looking for a last-minute alternative or a sweet treat for the weekend, here are some of the best panettones around ...



**Carluccio's Panettone al Cioccolato, £16.95** ([www.carluccios.com](http://www.carluccios.com))

This huge panettone knocks the socks off most Christmas puds, with its deliciously light and flaky exterior and generously dotted chocolate chips throughout. For traditionalists, try the original version, which is just as delicious.



**Aldi Luxury Panettone, £5.99, Aldi stores**  
Save yourself some cash by stocking up on Aldi's festive panettone offering. With plenty of fruit throughout, this is a good value option.



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**Morrisons Fruit Panettone Loaf, £2** ([groceries.morrisons.com](http://groceries.morrisons.com))  
This budget buy cuts nicely and doesn't scrim on rich fruity flavour, despite the pocket-friendly price.

# Love your LEFTOVERS

An estimated 7.9 million slices of turkey are leftover by Christmas Day evening - that's a lot of Boxing Day sandwiches. Or maybe a gobble-worthy batch of pies, curries or casserole fillings ... here are some recipes to try

**W**hether you break the wishbone at the Christmas table or take turns to have a ceremonial carve, it's likely that a roasted turkey will be the jewel in your Christmas dinner crown.

And with reports indicating that the average cost of the festive lunchtime feast is down 5% this year, there's even more reason to peel your parsnips and get stuffed - with all the juicy trimmings, that is - to celebrate the fact our favourite meal can now boast being great value for money, too.

Or, at least it would be value for money - if we didn't waste so much of it.

Research by Unilever's #ClearAPlate campaign, which hopes to raise awareness of the paradox between food waste and food poverty in the UK, shows that we Brits will chuck out the equivalent of 263,000 turkeys, 17.2 million Brussels sprouts and 740,000 Christmas puds during the festive season.

Then there's the 11.9 million carrots, 11.3 million roast potatoes and 10.9 million parsnips, which add up to the equivalent of an

estimated 4.2 million Christmas dinners going to waste.

And when you take into account that we spend a whopping average of £112 on food for the big day, between us, that's a colossal £84m in waste. Enough to keep us all in Quality Street until the New Year.

While it sounds logical to buy less and use up any leftovers, the unappetising reality for many of us is another round of turkey and stuffing sandwiches on Boxing Day.

But before you start buttering that bread, help and inspiration is at hand.

With an estimated 7.9 million slices of turkey going spare after our main meal, there's plenty of scope for getting creative.

To keep your leftovers fresh, the Love Food Hate Waste campaign ([www.lovefoodhatewaste.com](http://www.lovefoodhatewaste.com)) suggests wrapping them up, keeping them in the fridge and scoffing them within two days.

If you've had your fill of stuffing to last you until Christmas 2015, you can chop up your roast dinner and freeze it to use as a delicious pie or soup filling at a later date.

So rather than scrape your dinner in the bin this Christmas or prepare yourself for more sarnies, take a nod from these BBC Good Food recipes, which will give you plenty of options and ensure you make the most out of your Christmas meal.

## TURKEY AND POTATO CURRY

### SERVES 4

#### Ingredients

1tbsp sunflower oil  
1 large onion, thickly sliced  
1 green pepper, deseeded and chopped  
2tbsp curry paste (or gluten-free alternative)



**WASTE NOT, WANT NOT:** Turkey casserole is a hearty dish that uses up your leftovers

2 garlic cloves, crushed  
400g can chopped tomatoes  
300g leftover turkey, diced  
300g leftover cooked potatoes (either boiled or roast), diced  
2tbsp mango chutney  
Salt and pepper  
Small pack coriander, roughly chopped  
Rice or naan bread, to serve

#### Ingredients

Heat the oil in a large pan over a fairly high heat. Cook the onion and pepper for three to four minutes until starting to soften and brown slightly. Stir in the curry paste and garlic, then cook for another one to two minutes. Add the chopped tomatoes and 150ml water. Bring to the boil and bubble for five minutes.

Turn the heat down, stir in the turkey and potatoes, and cook for another two to three minutes, then season and add the mango chutney. Scatter with coriander and serve with rice or naan.

*Recipe from Good Food Magazine*

## LEFTOVER TURKEY CASSEROLE

### SERVES 4

#### Ingredients

2 onions, finely chopped  
1 eating apple, cored and chopped  
2tbsp olive oil  
1tsp dried sage, or 5 sage leaves, chopped  
2tbsp plain flour  
300ml vegetable or chicken stock  
2tbsp wholegrain mustard  
2tbsp runny honey

400g-500g leftover turkey, shredded  
About 350g leftover roasted vegetables like roast potatoes, parsnips, celeriac and carrots, chunkily diced  
Salt and pepper  
Mash or jacket potatoes, to serve

#### Method

Fry the onion and apple in the oil until softened in a casserole or deep pan. Stir in the sage for one minute, then stir in the flour. Gradually stir in the stock followed by the mustard and honey.

Bring up to a simmer and stir in the turkey and roast veg. Cover and gently simmer for 15 minutes until turkey is piping hot. Season and eat with mash or jacket potatoes.

*Recipe from bbcgoodfood.com*

## CORONATION TURKEY WITH HOMEMADE CHAPATIS

### SERVES 4

#### Ingredients

½tbsp vegetable oil  
½ onion, chopped  
1 garlic clove, chopped  
1tbsp curry powder  
1½tsp each ground cumin, ground coriander and turmeric  
125ml coconut milk  
125ml chicken stock  
200g mayonnaise  
425g leftover turkey  
2tbsp desiccated coconut, toasted  
Handful chopped coriander, to serve  
Chopped tomato, sliced onion and lettuce leaves, to serve

#### For the chapatis:

350g wholemeal flour (or roti flour), plus extra for dusting  
1tbsp vegetable oil  
1tsp salt

#### Method

Heat a saucepan and add a little vegetable oil. Fry the onion and garlic until both are lightly browned. Chuck in all the spices and let them sizzle for one minute, then add the coconut milk and the stock. Allow this to reduce until you have a thick, rich, creamy, spicy onion mixture in the pan. Pour into a bowl, leave to cool, then stir through the mayonnaise. Can be kept in the fridge for up to a week.

To make the chapatis, put the flour and one teaspoon of salt into a large bowl. Pour in the oil and rub into the flour with your fingertips. Pour in 250ml of lukewarm water, mix to form a firm dough, then knead for about 10 minutes until springy.

Place back in the bowl and leave to rest for 30 minutes. Cut into eight walnut-size pieces and roll out into thin discs on a lightly floured surface. Pan-fry the discs in a dry heavy-based pan for about one minute on each side. They should colour and blister - use a clean cloth to press flat in the pan while cooking.

To serve, mix the curried mayonnaise with the turkey. Toast the desiccated coconut in a dry pan until golden. Sprinkle over the turkey along with some coriander, then serve alongside the chapatis with some tomato, sliced onion and lettuce, if you like.

■ These recipes have been supplied by BBC Good Food. The December issue of BBC Good Food Magazine is on sale now, priced £3.90



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# ENJOY those post-Christmas blues

**S**O, we have done the cheddars and the softs, now it's time for the blues! Blue cheese is an art-form in itself, complex and difficult to produce consistently.

It's an old wives tale that says blue cheese is made by putting copper wires in the cheese and waiting for the verdigrises to develop thus creating the blue.

Let's now put that thought to bed as absolute nonsense!

With one exception, at the stage of blending the milk the cheesemaker adds penicillin to the blend; this stays inert until the cheese is pressed.

The cheese maker then pierces the cheese with needles allowing air to enter the truckle; where this contacts the bacteria, the blue slowly develops.

The size and concentration of needles is critical to the finished product.

Thinner more concentrated needles produce a denser bluing, larger diameter needles more random bluing.

The exception to the rule is that some cheeses from Belgium and Switzerland – Grevembroeker and Murgu respectively are what is known



as stacked curd blue cheeses.

The cheesemaker cuts the curds and rolls them in the bacteria, creating a marbling effect on the face of the cheeses

once cut.

Obviously, the most famous blue cheese in England is Stilton. This amazing cheese has never been made in Stilton, only

sold in Stilton Village; The Bell Inn to be precise.

Stilton is a PDO (Protected Designation of Origin) protected cheese that can only be made in

three counties – Derbyshire, Leicestershire and Nottinghamshire.

One good treat at this time of year is to dissolve the crust in

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Finally here's a great New Year resolution – **KEEP CALM AND EAT CHEESE**



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## PADDY DINHAM takes a cruise down the River Nile

**A**S MILITARY tanks rolled into Cairo, the rumblings of the Egyptian revolution were felt across the world.

Buntingford father-of-two Greg Garner had been striving for seven years to transform Orbital Travel, a small, family-run business, into one of the leading operators of Nile Cruises.

With anarchy erupting in the hub of his trade, every image of violence beamed across the globe was another dent into his work.

Profits have sunk by 80 per cent but they have just kept their heads above water, one of only three companies on the world's longest river to do so.

In a bid to prove that Egypt is a safe holiday destination, Orbital invited me out to look at how the country has progressed since the collapse of its government.

It is clear just how catastrophic the three years of unrest has been on Egyptian tourism, their staple industry, from the moment we arrive at our home for the week.

The MS Mayfair turned out to be a stunning vessel but it was blocked by about seven other ships that had to be walked through to reach it.

I'm informed that the Nile had previously been awash with a busy flow of traffic, but now only ten per cent of cruisers remain operational – the rest are consigned to be ghost ships.

As we walk through these defunct vessels, luxury lobbies with magnificent staircases are covered with sheets and tarpaulin.

A Nubian – an original Egyptian native – sits in the doorway of one smoking a shisha, a far cry from the etiquette which would have graced a tour boat three years previously.

Mr Garner said: "There seems to be a slight recovery but it's going to take a while to get back to pre-revolution figures."

"It's a constant source of worry because it's something that's completely out of your control but we just have tried to put more efforts into managing the business accordingly."

"Without a crystal ball you can't predict what's going to happen in the future so we can only concentrate on providing the best possible experience for the customers."

### Tombs

After settling in for the first night we are awoken at 5.30am to go and see a number of ancient Egyptian tombs.

Undoubtedly far too early for the brain of any normal human being to be fully functional, but even in a state of awareness ironically comparable to a buried man, the sites are unbelievable.

These are images anyone who went to primary school has seen but it for some reason I always imagined the colour to have

**WORSHIPPED:** One of many Pharaoh statues



**PRESERVED:** The carvings remain perfectly intact

been amplified for textbooks.

Not true. The level of preservation is stunning, you have to pinch yourself upon the realisation that they are 3,000 years old.

Just think how many times your living room wallpaper would need changing in that amount of time.

Best of all, because of the tourism slump, we are able to enjoy these sites alone and at our own pace – it previously took as long as 45 minutes just to queue up.

As we exit the first tomb a police officer watches over the sacred grounds, complete with a very, very large machine gun.

Although this makes British eyes double-take at first, if you only went on holiday to countries with unarmed officers, your selection would be somewhat limited.

The passion exuded by our guide, Adel Yousef, when giving us his narration is a quality shared by the majority of Egyptians.

"The history flows down the river through different eras, different kingdoms and different pharaohs. It's unique," Mr Yousef said.

"There is no comparison between the civilisations that you can see here or anywhere else. You can see the history is alive."

On a free afternoon, my walk down the high street is persistently interrupted by people waving at me, shouting "Welcome to Egypt my friend."

Quite the opposite from the violent hotbed that Egypt has been recently portrayed as.

They are matched in numbers, however, by vendors trying to flog any merchandise they can get their hands on.

Clothing is wrapped around you as you are followed down the street but it is not intimidating, just extremely irritating.

When the message of disinterest is eventually received they are friendly enough in their acceptance.

It's at least an honest living, certainly more pleasant than the pickpockets and prostitutes who riddle the night-time streets of some of Europe's most popular destinations.

Anyone who has been involved in a domestic just before guests arrive may empathise with Egypt's current situation.

We've all experienced an angry exchange

with other halves, parents or children about the state of the house or selection of nibbles but when the outsiders enter, all efforts are concentrated on ensuring a good time is had by all.

As Egyptologist and manager of Talisman Travel, John Michael, explains, the importance of holiday makers to the country's economy means they are always welcomed with open arms.

"Even during the revolution we had tourists that would go through the middle of Cairo and they would not be touched because it is nothing to do with tourists."

"People here need tourism, they need you, so why are they going to harm you? They eat and drink from what you pay this country."

### Ignore

Of course, it would be remiss to ignore the fact there was a terror attack in the country's oceans during our stay.

Eight navy workers were lost at sea off the coast of the northern port town of Damietta.

This was far away from the tourist hubs however, in the waters surrounded by more troubled neighbours, where violence is still commonplace.

Nobody is recommending a holiday in the Sinai region.

To put this into some context, it's like refusing to return to Cornwall because of trouble in Aberdeen.

I am not qualified to officially declare Egypt 'safe', nor would I want to, but it can be confirmed that during my brief stay the thought of danger never crossed my mind.

I did not feel particularly uneasy when I was being shown around the numerous historical wonders the region has to offer.

Nor did my life flash before my eyes at any point that I was sat in the Mayfair's hot tubs,

soaking in the spectacular surrounding scenery.

The biggest feeling of vulnerability came courtesy of some fierce Egyptian wine,

which lures you in with a siren song of sweet taste before spitting you back out with a hangover capable of slaying a Nile croc.

It seems there is definitely still a stigma attached to this country, the problem is that nobody on the inside can figure out why.

*Paddy Dinham*

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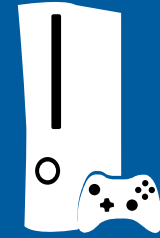
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3	1	9	4	5	8	7	2	6
7	5	4	2	8	3	9	1	6
5	8	9	7	1	4	2	3	5
1	2	6	3	4	5	7	8	9
4	7	8	2	9	1	6	5	3
2	3	5	6	9	8	7	4	1
6	4	3	8	1	7	2	5	9

**Sudoku: Medium**

9	8	3	6	7	5	4	2	1
6	5	1	4	2	3	8	7	9
2	4	7	9	8	1	3	5	6
8	6	4	7	9	2	1	3	5
1	7	3	9	1	4	6	2	8
5	1	2	3	5	8	6	9	4
7	6	2	5	3	4	1	9	8
4	9	8	1	7	2	5	6	3

**Sudoku: Hard**

1	4	7	5	3	9	6	2	8
9	6	7	4	2	3	1	5	8
3	2	5	6	1	8	9	7	4
4	9	5	1	2	7	8	6	3
2	6	8	9	5	3	1	4	7
7	1	3	8	4	5	9	7	2
6	9	2	1	7	5	3	8	4
8	1	4	7	5	2	3	6	9
5	7	2	3	9	6	4	8	1

**Sudoku: Killer**

9	2	1	3	7	5	4	8
6	4	1	7	2	3	5	9
8	5	7	4	1	9	3	2
3	9	5	2	8	7	6	1
1	8	6	9	3	4	2	5
4	7	2	5	6	1	8	3
2	3	1	4	5	9	7	6
5	1	8	6	2	9	7	3

**Futoshiki**

2	5	1	4	3
1	3	5	2	4
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## RCZ-R gets even quicker

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INTRODUCING the hottest ever version of Peugeot's stunning two-door sports coupe – the RCZ-R.

First launched back in 2010, the RCZ broke the mould with its sensual feline curves and sporty, individually designed interior. Four trim levels make up the range – Sport, GT, Red Carbon and this new R.

Since launch, mainstream Peugeot petrol and diesel engines have been offered: a 156 bhp and 197 bhp 1.6-litre THP turbo and a more economical 163bhp 2.0 HDI diesel.

While the RCZ's aesthetic design has never been in question, its performance (depending on engine choice) has – a criticism being that it didn't perhaps go as well as it looked. Well, any doubts about performance have been well and truly quelled with this much more extreme R model.

So extreme, it can lay claim to being the most powerful road-going car that Peugeot has ever sold. At its heart is a vast range of mechanical upgrades that wouldn't look out of place in a racing car.

Inspired by the Peugeot RCZ Racing Cup track car and riding 10mm lower to the ground, the new range-topping two-seater sports coupé is powered by a heavily reworked version of the firm's 1.6-litre THP turbocharged petrol engine, which now produces 270bhp at 6,000 rpm and 330Nm of torque from 1,900rpm to 5,500rpm.

In order for the car to cope with an additional 70 bhp, engineers at Peugeot Sport in Paris have reworked almost every component in the engine, including reinforced heat treatment, new stronger pistons and polymer coated con rods.

Also new is a specially strengthened six-speed manual transmission, uprated clutch, larger intercooler and new twin-scroll turbocharger.

The exhaust has also been modified; linked to the draw of

the engine's air intake, featuring an enhanced 'sound system' to amplify the sporting character of the new RCZ R's engine.

It certainly works, providing an intoxicating growl when accelerating, although when just cruising on the motorway this slight 'booming' can become a bit wearing.

Other performance upgrades include a Torsen® differential for additional grip, while the front and rear track have been widened to increase traction. There's also bespoke dampers and stiffer springs. This translates to significantly higher

levels of grip and cornering speeds than with other RCZ's, although as always, the payoff is ride comfort, with the R feeling pretty firm much of the time – especially around town.

The Peugeot RCZ R rides on unique two-tone 19-inch alloys shod with Goodyear Eagle F1 tyres for increased road-holding. There's also new larger four-piston brakes which quickly bring the R to a halt.

It will sprint from 0-62mph in 5.9 seconds and accelerate on to an electronically limited top speed of 155mph. Despite the car's performance credentials,

efficiency (145g/km of CO2) and combined economy (44.8mpg) remains similar to that of the 197 bhp engine. Of course, that's when driving gently – and it's unlikely you'll want to do that... such is the amount of entertainment on offer, unleashed by the mere prod of your right foot.

But you'll need to be careful when you do this to avoid the front wheels spinning and the steering wheel tugging in your hand – the by-product of 270 bhp being channelled through the front wheels. However, torque steer can be avoided if you feed

in the power progressively. It takes a bit of practice but once mastered, it actually becomes satisfying feeding in the power gradually and increases driver engagement with the car.

In the cabin sporty details separate the R from other RCZs, including red stitching, flat bottomed steering wheel and supportive leather and alcantara Recaro sports seats. It certainly meets the brief of luxurious sportiness.

Elsewhere the switchgear is identical to other Peugeot models and while perfectly functional and pleasant to look

at, it does seem to lack the extra quality feel of some German rivals.

The Driving position is comfortable, with plenty of steering column adjustment, and space for front occupants is generous. The same can't be said for the rear seats – which are only suitable for small kids or luggage. The boot is surprisingly big though and access good.

■ **Verdict:** Any doubts over the RCZ's performance credentials have been well and truly laid to rest – the R is a seriously quick machine.

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| 2013/13 | SPLASH 1.2 SZ2 5DR SUPERIOR WHITE 8500 MILES.                        | WAS £6495  | £6000  |
| 2011/61 | ALTO SZ2 5DR BRIGHT RED 28000 MILES.                                 | WAS £3995  | £3695  |
| 2011/11 | ALTO SZ4 5DR BLACK 31000 MILES.                                      | WAS £4995  | £4695  |
| 2014/14 | ALTO SZ 5DR BRIGHT RED 15000 MILES.                                  | WAS £4995  | £4695  |
| 2013/13 | SWIFT 1.2 SZ25DR SILKY SILVER 16000 MILES ALLOY WHEELS.              | WAS £7750  | £7250  |
| 2013/13 | ALTO SZ3 5DR MIDNIGHT BLACK 13000 MILES                              | WAS £5495  | £4995  |
| 2008/08 | SPLASH 1.2 GLS 5DR GALACTIC GRAY 39000 MILES                         | WAS £4495  | £3995  |
| 2013/63 | SWIFT 1.2 SZ4 5DR GALACTIC GRAY 4000 MILES                           | WAS £9295  | £8750  |
| 2008/58 | SPLASH 1.5 GLS PLUS AUTOMATIC GALACTIC GRAY 20000 MILES              | WAS £5750  | £5250  |
| 2008/58 | SX4 1.6 GL 5DR SUNLIGHT COPPER 68000 MILES                           | WAS £3995  | £3695  |
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| 2011/11 | VOLVO XC60 R DESIGN D AUTOMATIC 5DR BLACK                        | WAS £19995 | £19250 |
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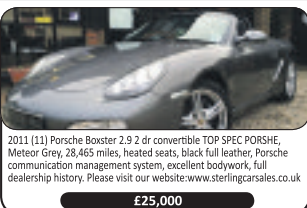
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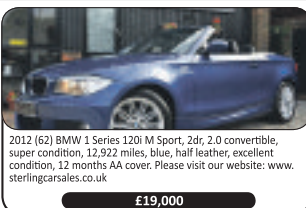
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- (06) Vauxhall Astra 1.6 Design Estate, in silver, one previous keeper, low mileage, FSH, half leather, alloys, air con, full electric pack and more .....£3995 or £17pw  
(58) Renault Megane 1.6 Tech Run 5DR, in saturn, one previous keeper, low mileage, FSH, air con, alloys, full electric pack and more, great value at .....£3995 or £17pw  
(07) Saab 9-3 Vector Sport Estate, immaculate through-out, with many extras including sat nav, climate/cruise control, half leather and much more .....£3995 or £17pw  
(06) Mazda 5 Sport 7 Seater MPV, in silver, one owner, low mileage, FSH, superb condition through-out, with many factory fitted extras, value at .....£3995 or £17pw  
(09) Vauxhall Agila 1.0 Expression 5DR, in saturn, only 30,000 miles, very economical, £30 RFL, with many factory fitted extras, great value at .....£3995 or £17pw  
(55) Skoda Octavia Ambient TDI Diesel 5DR, in met bronze, one owner, low mileage, FSH, 6 speed, cruise control, alloys, air con, abs and more .....£3995 or £17pw  
(06) Toyota Avenis T-Spirit 5DR, in silver, one owner, low mileage, FSH, immaculate condition, full leather, air con, alloys, full electric pack and more .....£4495 or £18pw  
(07) Mazda 3 Ts 5DR, in met blue, one previous keeper, FSH, only 26,000 miles, with many factory fitted extras, superb condition through-out, value .....£4495 or £18pw

### CARS FROM £20 PER WEEK

- (58) Vauxhall Corsa Club CDTi Diesel, in silver, low mileage, main dealer FSH, very economical £30 RFL, with many factory extras, great value at .....£4995 or £20pw  
(10) Nissan Note 1.4 Acenta MPV, in bronze, one previous keeper, low mileage, FSH, immaculate condition, with many factory fitted extras, value .....£4995 or £20pw  
(06) Honda Civic SE i-CDTi Diesel 5DR, in grey, low mileage, FSH, full leather heated seats, climate/traction control, alloys and much more, superb .....£4995 or £20pw  
(08) Kia Carens GS CRDi Diesel Auto 7 Seater MPV, in blue, one previous keeper, FSH, fitted with many factory extras, immaculate condition through-out .....£4995 or £20pw  
(08) Honda Jazz DSI SE 5DR, in grey, low mileage, FSH, superb condition, air con, alloys, abs, CD player, central locking, full electric pack and more, value .....£5295 or £22pw  
(11) Peugeot 107 1.0 Urban 5DR, in saturn, one previous keeper, very economical, £20 RFL, superb condition through-out, with many factory fitted extras .....£5495 or £23pw  
(08) Fiat 500 Lounge, in met blue, one owner, FSH, £30 RFL, panoramic sunroof, immaculate, fitted with many factory extras, great value at .....£5695 or £24pw  
(58) Honda Jazz DSI SE Auto 5DR, in black, one previous keeper, low mileage, FSH, immaculate, alloys, air con, abs, full electric pack and more .....£5695 or £24pw  
(08) Ford Focus 1.4 Zetec Auto, in fern, one previous keeper, FSH, low mileage, superb condition, alloys, air con, full electric pack, abs and more .....£5695 or £24pw  
(10) Peugeot 207 SW Sport Auto Estate, in grey, one previous keeper, low mileage, main dealer FSH, pan roof, climate control, alloys and more .....£5995 or £25pw  
(61) Nissan Note 1.6 N-Tec Auto MPV, in grey, one owner, low mileage, main dealer FSH, sat nav, cruise control, air con, privacy glass and more .....£5995 or £25pw  
(59) Ford Fiesta 1.4 Zetec 5DR, in black, one owner, FSH, immaculate condition, with extras including alloys, air con, Bluetooth, auto lights and more .....£5995 or £25pw  
(61) Renault Grand Modus Dynamique Auto 5DR, in black, low mileage, FSH, half leather, air con, auto lights, abs, full electric pack and more .....£5995 or £25pw  
(08) Toyota Avenis TR D-4D Diesel 5DR, in silver, one owner, FSH, superb condition, sat nav, Bluetooth, parking sensors, cruise control and more .....£5995 or £25pw  
(09) Vauxhall Zafira 1.8 Design 7 Seater MPV, in black, one owner, low mileage, service history, immaculate, half leather, air con, alloys and more .....£5995 or £25pw  
(10) Mazda 2 Sport 1.5 3DR, in silver, low mileage, one previous owner, FSH, cruise/climate control, alloys, full electric pack and more, low RFL .....£5995 or £25pw  
(11) Vauxhall Corsa 1.2 SXi 5DR, in silver, one previous keeper, FSH, only 12,000 miles, alloys, air con, full electric pack, cruise control and much more .....£5995 or £25pw

### CARS FROM £30 PER WEEK

- (61) Vauxhall Zafira Exclusive 7 Seater MPV, in silver, one owner, main dealer FSH, only 14,000 miles, immaculate, with many factory fitted extras .....£7995 or £34pw  
(61) Kia Soul 2 CRDi Diesel Auto 5DR, in silver, low mileage, FSH, immaculate, with many extras including alloys, air con, full electric pack and more .....£7995 or £34pw  
(58) Audi A3 MPI SE Auto, in black, one owner, low mileage, FSH, stunning vehicle, alloys, air con, abs, traction control, full electric pack and more .....£7995 or £34pw  
(08) Suzuki Grand Vitara Diesel 4WD, in saturn, one owner, main dealer FSH, only 20,000 miles from new, with many factory fitted extras, stunning .....£7995 or £34pw  
(61) Renault Scenic 1.6 Expression MPV, finished in bronze, one owner, main dealer FSH, only 7000 miles, with many factory extras, superb condition .....£7995 or £34pw  
(60) Saab 9-3 Aero 1.9 Diesel, one owner, service history, full leather, heated seats, climate control, alloys, parking sensors, full electric pack and more .....£7995 or £34pw  
(13) Skoda Fabia S TSI Auto 5DR, in met blue, one owner, FSH, 14,000 miles, with many factory extras including air con, alloys, electric pack and more .....£8495 or £35pw  
(08) Audi A4 TDI S-Line Diesel Auto, in blue, one previous keeper, stunning vehicle, sat nav, climate control, alloys, parking sensors and more, superb .....£8695 or £36pw  
(10) Toyota Avenis TR Valvematic Auto Estate, in silver, one owner, main dealer FSH, low mileage, sat nav, full leather, climate/cruise and more .....£8695 or £36pw  
(06) Lexus IS 250 SE-L Auto, in silver, one previous keeper, FSH, only 27,000 miles, full leather heated seats, cruise/climate control, alloys and more .....£8695 or £36pw  
(07) Audi A4 TDI S-Line Diesel Convertible, in grey, low mileage, FSH, full leather, air con, alloys, traction/stability control, abs and more, superb .....£8695 or £36pw  
(13) Vauxhall Corsa Limited Edition, choice of 2 white or red, one owner, FSH, 10,000 miles, high spec, black alloys, pan roof, air con, climate .....£8995 or £38pw  
(58) BMW 525 SE Diesel Saloon, in met blue, one owner, FSH, full leather, 17" alloys, Bluetooth, parking sensors, sat nav, air con and more .....£8995 or £38pw  
(59) Volkswagen Golf SE TSI Auto 5DR, in silver, one owner, low mileage, FSH, superb condition, with a vast array of factory fitted extras .....£8995 or £38pw  
(09) Vauxhall Antara SE CDTi Diesel Auto 5DR, in blue, one owner, low mileage, FSH, leather heated seats, sat nav, Bluetooth, parking sensors .....£8995 or £38pw  
(60) Honda Civic Type S GT, in silver, one owner, FSH, only 20,000 miles, immaculate condition through-out, with many factory fitted extras, superb .....£8995 or £38pw

### CARS FROM £10 PER WEEK

- (07) Nissan Note SE DCi Diesel, in blue, one owner, main dealer FSH, immaculate through-out, air con, full electric pack, auto lights, CD and more .....£4495 or £18pw  
(11) Mitsubishi Colt, in black, one owner, FSH, only 25,000 miles, very economical, fitted with a vast array of factory extras, immaculate condition .....£4695 or £19pw  
(10) Nissan Micra 1.4 Acenta 5DR, in silver, one previous keeper, low mileage, FSH, stunning condition, air con, full electric pack, abs, CD and much more .....£4695 or £19pw  
(58) Ford Focus 1.6 Style 5DR, in silver, one previous keeper, FSH, with many factory extras including air con, alloys, full electric pack and more, value at .....£4695 or £19pw  
(08) Toyota Auris 1.6 T-Spirit 5DR, in met blue, one owner, FSH, with extras including alloys, air con, cruise/traction control, full electric pack and more .....£4695 or £19pw  
(58) Renault Grand Modus Dynamique DCi Diesel 5DR, in blue, one previous keeper, FSH, 30,000 miles, with many extras, very economical, £30 RFL .....£4695 or £19pw  
(60) Peugeot 107 1.0 Urban 5DR, in silver, very economical, £20 RFL, FSH, superb condition through-out, with a vast array of factory fitted extras, value at .....£4695 or £19pw  
(10) Volkswagen Fox 1.2, in grey, one previous keeper, main dealer FSH, only 20,000 miles, very economical, with many factory extras, value at .....£4695 or £19pw

### CARS FROM £20 PER WEEK

- (11) Toyota Yaris 1.3 T-Spirit 5DR, finished in met grey, £30 per year road tax, one owner, FSH, sat nav, alloys, full electric pack and much more .....£5995 or £25pw  
(61) Renault Clio Expression Auto 5DR, in met grey, one owner, 19,000 miles, FSH from new, MP3, air con, abs, full electric pack, exceptional condition .....£5995 or £25pw  
(09) Mazda 6 TS2 5DR, in grey, one owner, main dealer FSH, only 40,000 miles from new, air con, cruise/traction control, alloys, and more, value .....£6295 or £26pw  
(60) Vauxhall Meriva SE MPV, in blue, low mileage, FSH, with many factory extras including pan roof, air con, full electric pack and more immaculate .....£6495 or £26pw  
(11) Peugeot 308 Access HDi Diesel 5DR, in grey, one owner, FSH, £20 RFL, very economical, Alloys, air con, abs, iPod Connection and more .....£6495 or £26pw  
(10) Volkswagen Polo 1.2 S 5DR, in silver, immaculate condition through-out, only 15,000 miles, fitted with many factory extras, exceptional value .....£6495 or £26pw  
(59) Vauxhall Astra 1.6 Sri 5DR, in saturn, one owner, FSH, superb condition, with many extras including air con, alloys, full electric pack and more .....£6495 or £26pw  
(12) Ford Fiesta 1.4 Zetec Auto 5DR, in blue, low mileage, FSH, superb condition through-out, air con, alloys, CD player, full electric pack and more .....£6995 or £29pw  
(07) Ford Focus ST-3 5DR, in met blue, full leather sport seats, air con, alloys, parking sensors, cruise/traction control, and more, superb condition .....£6995 or £29pw  
(61) Kia Soul 2 CRDi Diesel 5DR, in silver, one owner, low mileage, main dealer FSH, alloys, air con, full electric pack, abs, CD and more, value at .....£6995 or £29pw  
(60) Peugeot 308 Sport HDi Diesel 5DR, in black, one owner, main dealer FSH, alloys, air con, cruise/traction control, auto lights and much more .....£6995 or £29pw  
(61) Seat Altea SE DSG TDI Diesel Auto, in silver, one owner, main dealer FSH, alloys, climate/cruise control, full electric pack and more, superb .....£6995 or £29pw  
(11) Smart ForTwo Cabrio Passion Convertible Auto, in white, 20,000 miles, one owner, FSH, MP3, alloys, sat nav, Bluetooth, heated seats, value .....£6995 or £29pw  
(10) Renault Grand Scenic Dynamique Tomtom 7 Seater MPV, in silver, one owner, low mileage, sat nav, Bluetooth, climate/cruise, 6 speed and more .....£6995 or £29pw  
(61) Vauxhall Corsa 1.2 SXi Diesel 5DR, in silver, only 20,000 miles from new, one owner, FSH, £30 RFL, many factory fitted extras, value at .....£6995 or £29pw

### CARS FROM £30 PER WEEK

- (56) Volkswagen Golf GTi Auto 5DR, in black, one owner, FSH, full leather, pan roof, black alloys, air con, CD, abs and much more, immaculate .....£8995 or £38pw  
(61) Ford Grand C-Max Titanium TDCi Diesel 7 Seater, in saturn, one owner, FSH, Bluetooth, privacy glass, air con, alloys, parking sensors and more .....£8995 or £38pw  
(61) Peugeot 3008 Exclusive E-HDi Diesel Auto 5DR, in silver, one owner, FSH, Bluetooth, alloys, climate control, parking sensors, privacy glass .....£8995 or £38pw  
(56) Volvo XC70 D5 SE Diesel Auto Estate, in mauve, one owner, main dealer FSH, low mileage, full leather, alloys, air con, cruise, abs and more .....£8995 or £38pw  
(57) Mercedes C220 CDI SE, in silver, low mileage, one owner, FSH, full leather, parking sensors, Bluetooth, alloys, climate/cruise, immaculate condition .....£8995 or £38pw  
(10) Nissan Qashqai Tekna DCi Diesel 5DR, in silver, FSH, full leather, pan roof, Bluetooth, sat nav 6 speed and more, immaculate condition through-out .....£9695 or £41pw  
(10) Dodge Journey CRD Diesel 7 Seater MPV, in silver, one owner, FSH, half leather, sat nav, climate/cruise control, parking camera and more .....£9995 or £42pw  
(61) Volkswagen Touran SE TDI Diesel 7 Seater MPV, in grey, one owner, FSH, immaculate condition through-out, with many factory fitted extras .....£9995 or £42pw  
(61) Alfa-Romeo Giulietta 1750 TBI Cloverleaf 5DR, in saturn, one previous keeper, FSH, 6 speed, half leather sports seats, climate/cruise and more .....£10,995 or POA  
(62) Ford B-Max Titanium 1.0 Eco Boost (New Model), in black, one owner, FSH, only 2000 miles, £30 RFL, twin sliding rear doors, Bluetooth .....£10,995 or POA  
(58) Audi A5 TDI Diesel Auto, finished in black, low mileage, FSH, full leather, climate/cruise control, alloys, auto lights and much more, stunning .....£11,995 or POA  
(11) Audi A3 Sportback TDI S-Line Diesel 5DR, in blue, one owner, main dealer FSH, sat nav, full leather, Bluetooth, climate/cruise, parking sensors .....£13,995 or POA  
(61) Audi Q5 TDI Quattro SE Diesel Estate, in black, FSH, 6 speed, full leather, climate/stability/cruise control, alloys, parking sensors and more .....£16,995 or POA  
(11) Mitsubishi Shogun Elegance Diesel Auto LWD 7 Seater, in black, one owner, FSH, full leather heated seats, sat nav, Bluetooth, parking camera .....£17,995 or POA  
(12) Isuzu Rodeo TD Denver Max LE Diesel Pick-up, in black, one owner, 7000 miles, FSH, crew cab, full leather heated seats, sat nav, Bluetooth .....£17,995 + VAT or POA



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2011 (11)  
Fiat Punto 1.4 Evo



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black, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, one owner, 39,000 miles only

2007 (07)  
Chrysler Crossfire  
3.2 V6



**£6,995**

grey, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, heated leather seats, cruise control, e/windows, e/mirrors, 34,000 miles only

2009 (09)  
Ford Mondeo Zetec  
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### EXECUTIVE

- 2010 (59) Bentley GTC 6.0 Auto, black, black hood, alloy wheels, climate control, heated electric leather beige memory seats, cruise control, Sat Nav, parking sensors, e/windows, e/mirrors, electric power hood, 11,000 miles only, YES 11,000 miles only! Stunning car has to be seen ..... Was £79,995 Now £75,995
- 2010 (10) Range Rover Sport 3.0 Diesel HSE bronze, alloy wheels, climate control, heated electric leather seats, Sat Nav, reversing camera, cruise control, parking sensors, remote locking, keyless start, e/windows, e/mirrors, 18,000 miles only, one owner, stunner ..... Was £34,995 Now £29,995
- 2003 (52) Bentley Arnage 6.7 Twin Turbo, dark metallic green, light cream quilted leather, phone, sat nav, split rim wheels, 42,000 miles only, history, superb looking car, bargain, cost new £180,000 ..... Was £39,995 Now £28,000
- 2011 (61) BMW 730 Diesel Auto, black, alloy wheels, climate control, cruise control, heated electric leather seats, Sat Nav, Parking sensors, one owner, remote locking, keyless start, 16,000 miles only, stunning ..... Was £31,995 Now £25,995
- 2009 (59) Mercedes E350 CDI Coupe, black, alloy wheels, climate control, parking sensors, heated electric leather seats, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, cruise control, 60,000 miles ..... Was £19,995 Now £17,995
- 2003 (03) Mercedes SL350 Auto, silver, alloy wheels, climate control, heated electric leather memory seats, cruise control, Sat Nav, parking sensors, e/windows, e/mirrors, electric hood hard top, 59,000 miles ..... Was £13,995 Now £11,995
- 2007 (07) Chrysler Crossfire 3.2 V6, grey, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, heated leather seats, cruise control, e/windows, e/mirrors, 34,000 miles only ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995

### SALOON & HATCHBACK

- SOLD 2010 (10) Vauxhall Insignia Estate 1.8, grey, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, cruise control, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 40,000 miles only ..... Was £8,995 Now £7,995
- 2009 (09) Ford Mondeo Zetec TDCi 5dr, silver, alloy wheels, air con, remote central locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 47,000 miles ..... Was £7,495 Now £6,495
- 2011 (61) Vauxhall Corsa 1.3 CDTi, grey, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, one owner, 39,000 miles only ..... Was £7,495 Now £6,495
- 2008 (08) Mercedes A150, black, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, half leather seats, CD player, 59,000 miles ..... Was £6,995 Now £5,995
- SOLD 2010 (60) Peugeot 207 1.4, black, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 38,000 miles only ..... Was £6,995 Now £5,695
- 2009 (69) Peugeot 308 1.4, black, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 53,000 miles ..... Was £6,995 Now £4,995
- SOLD 2008 (58) Mazda 2 1.3, gold, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 28,000 miles only, one owner ..... Was £5,995 Now £4,995
- 2006 (06) Hyundai Coupe 2.0, silver, alloy wheels, air con, leather seats, cruise control, e/sunroof, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 33,000 miles only ..... Was £4,995 Now £3,995
- 2007 (57) Renault Megane 1.6, blue, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, cruise control, CD player, 57,000 miles ..... Was £4,495 Now £3,495

### FAMILY CARS

- 2009 (09) Mitsubishi L200 Double Cab 2.5, grey, alloy wheels, central locking, CD player, 56,000 miles, NO VAT ..... Was £10,495 Now £8,995
- SOLD 2010 (10) Vauxhall Insignia Estate 1.8, grey, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, cruise control, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 40,000 miles only ..... Was £8,995 Now £7,995
- SOLD 2007 (07) Nissan Qashqai 2.0 Auto, silver, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, cruise control, parking sensors, 50,000 miles ..... Was £8,995 Now £7,995
- 2007 (57) Nissan Qashqai 2.0, beige, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, cruise control, parking sensors, e/windows, e/mirrors, 42,000 miles only ..... Was £8,995 Now £7,995
- 2011 (61) Vauxhall Meriva 1.4, silver, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, cruise control, CD player, 17,000 miles only ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995
- 2011 (11) Renault Clio Estate 1.6, blue, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, half leather seats, Sat Nav, parking sensors, 16,000 miles only, one owner ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995
- 2011 (11) Renault Modus 1.6 Automatic, beige/silver, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, half leather seats, cruise control, e/windows, e/mirrors, one owner, 18,000 miles only ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995
- 2007 (57) Citroen C4 Picasso 1.6 Diesel, mauve, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, cruise control, parking sensors, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 7 seater, 40,000 miles only, one owner ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995
- 2011 (61) Vauxhall Meriva 1.4, beige, air con, remote locking, cruise control, e/windows, e/mirrors, parking sensors, one owner, 33,000 miles only ..... Was £7,495 Now £6,495
- 2009 (09) Renault Scenic 1.4 TCE, silver, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, cruise control, Sat Nav, parking sensors, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 40,000 miles only ..... Was £7,495 Now £6,495
- 2008 (58) Ford C-Max 1.6, blue, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, 49,000 miles ..... Was £7,495 Now £6,495
- 2011 (60) Vauxhall Meriva 1.4, blue, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, cruise control, CD player, 28,000 miles only ..... Was £7,495 Now £6,495
- 2011 (11) Vauxhall Meriva 1.7 CDTi, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, cruise control, CD player, 59,000 miles ..... Was £6,995 Now £5,995
- 2008 (58) Peugeot 308 1.6 Sport, silver, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, parking sensors, CD player, 50,000 miles ..... Was £6,995 Now £4,995
- 2006 (55) Ford Focus 1.6 Auto, blue, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 42,000 miles only ..... Was £4,695 Now £3,695

### AUTOMATICS

- SOLD 2007 (07) Nissan Qashqai 2.0 Auto, silver, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, cruise control, parking sensors, 50,000 miles ..... Was £8,995 Now £7,995
- SOLD 2011 (11) Vauxhall Meriva 1.7 CDTi Auto, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, cruise control, CD player, one owner, 23,000 miles only ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995
- 2011 (11) Renault Clio Estate 1.6, blue, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, half leather seats, Sat Nav, parking sensors, 16,000 miles only, one owner ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995
- 2011 (11) Renault Modus 1.6 Automatic, beige/silver, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, half leather seats, cruise control, e/windows, e/mirrors, one owner, 18,000 miles only ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995
- 2011 (11) Vauxhall Meriva 1.7 CDTi, beige, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, parking sensors, cd player, one owner, 59,000 miles only ..... Was £6,995 Now £5,995
- 2006 (55) Ford Focus 1.6 Auto, blue, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 42,000 miles only ..... Was £4,695 Now £3,695

### SMALL CARS

- 2009 (09) Ford Fiesta 1.6 Ghia (new shape), purple, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, cruise control, e/windows, e/mirrors, one lady owner, 34,000 miles only ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995
- 2011 (61) Vauxhall Corsa 1.3 CDTi, grey, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, one owner, 39,000 miles only ..... Was £7,495 Now £6,495
- 2011 (61) Nissan Micra 1.2 New Shape, grey, remote locking, e/windows, CD player, ideal first car, cheaper tax & insurance, 34,000 miles only ..... Was £6,995 Now £5,995
- 2010 (60) Peugeot 207 1.4, black, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 38,000 miles only ..... Was £6,995 Now £5,695
- 2011 (11) Fiat Punto 1.4 Evo, black, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, one owner, 39,000 miles only ..... Was £5,995 Now £4,995
- 2008 (08) Nissan Micra 1.2, blue, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, 40,000 miles only ..... Was £6,495 Now £4,995
- 2007 (07) Fiat Panda 1.2, yellow, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, e/windows, e/mirrors, CD player, 46,000 miles only, one owner ..... Was £4,495 Now £3,495

### CONVERTIBLES

- 2003 (03) Mercedes SL350 Auto, silver, alloy wheels, climate control, heated electric leather memory seats, cruise control, Sat Nav, parking sensors, e/windows, e/mirrors, electric hood hard top, 59,000 miles ..... Was £13,995 Now £11,995
- 2009 (09) Ford Focus CC 2.0, bronze, alloy wheels, air con, remote locking, electric hood, e/windows, e/mirrors, parking sensors, CD player, 42,000 miles only ..... Was £7,995 Now £6,995
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Anyone who wishes to make representations about these applications should write to the Council at the above address within 21 days of the date of this notice.  
**Application No HW/PL/14/00536 Ward: Bush Fair**  
**Application Type Full Planning Permission**  
**Location** Jeans Yardling, Tye Green Village, Harlow  
**Proposal** Erection of detached dwelling and single garage.  
**Reason for Advert**  
 Conservation Area



## Legal Notices

## NITA ETHEL YOUNG (Deceased)

Pursuant to the Trustee Act 1925 any persons having a claim against or an interest in the Estate of the aforementioned deceased, late of Kendal Old House Lane Royden Harlow Essex CM19 5DH, who died on 31/12/2013, are required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before 06/03/2015, after which date the Estate will be distributed having regard only to claims and interests of which they have had notice.

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## Legal Notices

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**JEAN** slim blonde divorcee bubbly affectionate, romantic with lots of love to give, looking for man who knows how to look after a lady for meals in/out, friendship/ltr. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414699 ☺

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**LOREN** pretty petite 24yr old female, likes swimming, walking, cosy night in watching a movie, seeking caring well built loving male with nice personality 30-45. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 413015 ☺

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**BECKY** 38yrs stunning size 10, big blue eyes, feminine, long hair, honest, fun, seeks honest reliable male to go out with, have a nice time and some much needed fun. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412597 ☺

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**LAUREN** 24yr old petite blue eyed barmaid, slim brunette, pretty, sporty, likes cosy nights in, WLTm caring well built easygoing male for meets, 30-45yrs. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 411211 ☺

**BECKY** 38 size 10, big blue eyes, considered stunning, honest, fun and caring, looking for similar kind of person to enjoy fun times. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412593 ☺

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**SARAH** attractive 25yr old single female, slim, feminine with long hair and big eyes, enjoys being fit and healthy, socialising, WLTm male 18-35 for fun times. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 413423 ☺

**CARRIE** 29yr old fun single mum who enjoys cosy nights in, music, travel, occasional night out, concert, travel, seeking romantic male 30-45. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 413019 ☺

**CARLY** mid 30's bubbly outgoing genuine female seeking similar sincere down to earth male to enjoy socialising, beach walks, romantic walks and cosy evenings in, 35-50yrs. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412935 ☺

**LISA** 19 young inexperienced and lonely, 5ft, very curvy and cuddly build, loves shopping, going out, seeking fun loving understanding mature guy for ltr. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412913 ☺

**BECKY** 30's slim size 10, big blue eyes, considered stunning, fun, caring, seeking reliable guy to enjoy nice times with, no lies or complications pls. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412595 ☺

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**5FT** 11ins male, average build, likes most things, outdoors, cinema, meals out, holidays, seeks positive female for friendship, maybe more. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 411665 ☺

**IDEAL** Xmas present. Genuine male, young 56, OHAC, kind, caring, considerate, loyal, GSOH, seeking similar female for LTR. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 415631 ☺

**KIND** caring, active, honest, reliable 70yr old male, N/S, many interests, seeks warm hearted, positive, loyal, slim lady in her 60's. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 413653 ☺

**BUILDER** 45, tall, good looking, GSOH, kind, considerate, easy going, seeks female for relationship. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414531

**KIND** caring, active, honest, reliable N/S male, 70, many interests, seeks warm hearted, positive, loyal, slim 60's lady for LTR. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414529

**DEAN** 5ft 10ins, average build, nice, gentle, genuine, loving, funny, outgoing, likes nights in/out, seeks similar female. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414277 ☺

**CHRISTOPHER** 40, naughty, seeks female, any age for broadminded adult fun and games. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414099 ☺

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**SMART** Essex lad, young 65, 5ft 9ins, N/S, good company, seeks slim, warm lady for dates and chats. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414035 ☺

**JIM** kind honest, 75, seeks lovely lady in 70's, missing female company, loves everything in life. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 413975

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**ATTRACTIVE** male, 47, 5ft 10ins, seeking relationship with female, 30-54. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 413543 ☺

**JAMES** hard working single dad, late 30's seeks single mum for family days out. Text Only 4550196 ☺

**TALL** male, seeking similar genuine female for friendship, maybe more. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 413429

**GENUINE** male, young 56, OHAC, kind, caring, loyal, considerate, country loving, seeks attractive female with GSOH for LTR. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 413091 ☺

**MIKE** 59, outgoing, likes walks, seeks female of similar age and GSOH for company. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412879 ☺

**SLIM** fit active 69yr old N/S male, likes music, walks, cinema, quizzes, seeks slender, warm hearted 60's lady for company and more. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412061

**SFT** 11ins male, mid 70's, OHAC, likes holidays, walks, Europe, nights in/out, seeks female. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 415627 ☺

**JOHN**, 42yrs professional genuine gent seeks caring lady to treat as a princess. Text Only 4550195 ☺

**BUILDER** 45, tall, good looking, kind, considerate, easy going seeks female. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 415315

**SFT** 10INS 12stone silver fox vgsn, fed up being on my own, wltm sexy night brunette to put the fun back, love nights in or out, so let's have fun. Text Only Mailbox Box No: 4541216 ☺

**SLIM** fit, active 70yr old N/S male, likes music, walks, cinema, quizzes, seeks slender, warm hearted 60's lady for company. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 415185 ☺

**DEAN** 5ft 10ins, medium build, nice, gentle, genuine, loving, funny, outgoing, energetic, likes nights in/out, seeks similar female. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414277 ☺

**BUILDER** 45, tall, good looking, GSOH, kind, considerate, easy going, seeks female. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 415227

**MATURE** romantic, sincere, single gent, young 60, blind from birth, GSOH, lots of love/affection, seeking lovely lady 40-65 for LTR. No timewasters. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414859

**KENNY** 49, medium build, 6ft, fit, seeking lady for discreet fun. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414815 ☺

**59YR** old male, seeking female for no strings fun. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414533 ☺

**MALE** mid 60's, widower, seeking female, 55-60's, to enjoy days out, country walks, nights in/out, maybe more, Harlow area. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 411805 ☺

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**65YR** old widower, N/S, likes animals, sports, walks, country pubs, seeks lady of any age, chat, friendship, whatever. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 411555

**GENUINE** reliable, traditional, sociable, N/S male, 69, WLTm positive, warm hearted, slim, loyal, female for friendship, leading to relationship. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 411543

**BUILDER** 44, tall, attractive, GSOH, considerate, easy going, seeks female. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414197

**PETER** looking for adventurous lady for no strings fun. 0906 500 3680 Box No: 411399 ☺

**70YR** old male, 5ft 9ins, down to earth, easy going, wanting for nothing, car owner, likes music, animals, seeks female. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 411199

**MALE** mid 60's, seeking female, 50-65 to enjoy days out, country walks, holidays, nights in/out, maybe more. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 411027

**BUILDER** 44, tall, attractive, GSOH, considerate, easy going, seeks female. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 410919

**5FT** 11ins male, mid 70's, N/S, OHAC/teeth, likes swimming, diving, geology, gardening, may buy house in Barbados. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412747 ☺

**JOHN** 22, looking for no strings fun with any female up to 35. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412607 ☺

**ESSEX** chap 61, 5ft 9ins, N/S, good company, retired, likes travel, animals, seeks slim, similar female for nice times. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412511 ☺

**5FT** 11ins male, 70's, OHAC/teeth, likes swimming, diving, geology, crop growing, buying house in Barbados. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412501 ☺

**SEAN** looking for fun loving lady for discreet fun. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 412099 ☺

### Men seeking men

**VINCE** well built, fit bi white male, seeking convincing TV/CD. Tel No: 0906 500 3680 Box No: 414787 ☺

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# 'PRESSURE'S NOT GETTING TO US'

## Hawks manager hits back at criticism after side end bad run

by Alan Scott

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DANNY CHAPMAN has hit back at Hawks' critics who say the pressure of a big wage bill is getting to the players.

Harlow bounced back from a run of eight points from 21 with a 3-2 home victory against play-off chasing neighbours Ware on Boxing Day, but the Hawks boss was quick to point out that six of those seven games were away.

His side are below leaders Needham Market on goal difference.

Chapman said: "I don't think the pressure is getting to us at all. We've only had two defeats. We had this conversation with the boys at training. Our last seven games [prior to Ware], six of them were away from home. And on one good surface - Thamesmead.

"Everyone has to play on these surfaces. I'm not using that as an excuse. We've gone and played six away games in last seven and got beaten twice.

"You say that to any Premier League manager, you are going to have six away games coming up - and four of ours were on the trot as well - and you are only going to get beaten twice. They would take that.

"We've played these games away and we are not passing teams off the park or beating teams by two or three or four-nil, it's like 'whoa, what's going on?'

### Difficult spell

"But football doesn't work like that. Every team has a difficult spell.

"Whether that's because they are playing away games, or whether that's because they are not playing particularly well, what's important is that everyone sticks together through it, no matter what, and you come out the other side. And that's what we have done.

"To be beaten twice after 26 games, I would take that. Christmas, being second and three points off the top, I would take that



**HEADS AND TRAILS:** Dave Cowley (left) and Ware's Alaa Oujdi clash heads, resulting in red cards for the pair of them. (Inset) Harlow celebrate Josh Urquhart's 90th-minute winner

Photos by Vikki Lince



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Oujdi and Harlow's Dave Cowley were sent off for violent conduct.

And just as Harlow looked to have dropped another two points in their Ryman North title quest, the hosts grabbed a winner.

Ben Glasgow's corner was stabbed in by Urquhart from the penalty spot to leave Ware deflated after a brave effort.

Chapman added: "It's a massive three points. We've gone behind, got ourselves back in front, and then we've had enough about us to go on and get the win.

"I'm really pleased. Today showed great work rate, great team spirit. They are a good side. I was impressed with them. I will expect them to be in the play-offs at the end of the season."

as well.

"We are not going to be on top and bash teams all the time, there's going to be times when you are going to have to dig in. And that's what we have done over the last three weeks."

Disappointingly only 230 turned up but they missed a treat as Harlow and Ware served up a Christmas fire cracker with two red cards and five goals.

A 90th-minute winner from Hawks central defender Josh

Urquhart secured the three points for the home team, their first win in three matches.

Ware went in front on 11 minutes when Kieran Bishop fired in off a post.

Bishop had a gilt-edged chance to make it 2-0 and this miss would prove decisive.

The game was to swing in Harlow's favour with two goals in three minutes before the break.

First, Shane Stamp equalised when he rifled a shot into the

bottom left corner nine minutes before half-time.

On 38 minutes, Alex Read netted his 33rd goal of the season when he stabbed in from five yards.

Ware equalised after some poor defending from the hosts in the second half.

Former Hawks striker Murat Karagul, on loan from Wingate & Finchley, slotted home on 70 minutes.

On 78 minutes, Ware's Alaa

## Chapman's ref rage at red cards

HAWKS boss Danny Chapman has demanded an improvement in the standard of refereeing at Ryman League level after two of his players received three-match bans for violent conduct over an expensive Christmas period.

Just five days after Billy Jones was dismissed for violent conduct in the 2-2 draw against Cray Wanderers, Dave Cowley was dismissed for head-butting in the 3-2 Boxing Day victory over Ware.

Chapman fumed: "We had Bill [Jones] sent off at Cray last week for a good tackle, a fair tackle.

We are going to lose him for three games. And we've had Dave sent off for again doing absolutely nothing wrong whatsoever, and we're going to lose him for three games. What the league and the FA have to understand is that these decisions affect football clubs.

"If I have a player that deserves to get sent off then send him off. But the last two in the last two weeks have not been anywhere near red cards, and I'm going to lose two of my midfield players around the same time. All because - and I've said it before and I'll say it again - the officials at this level are not good enough.

"What are the assessors doing? I'm not saying that on Harlow's part, I'm talking on every single football club at this level.

Something needs to be done. "It's scary. According to the ref he was going to send them both off before the other fella pushed his head into Dave, for going face-to-face.

"I said 'if that's the case you are going to send off a lot of people'. You get that week in, week out at every level of football. I don't know why he sent Dave off. Dave stood up as the geezer has walked into him. He has put his head into Dave's head.

"You struggle to win appeals without video evidence. If there is video evidence I will appeal it because I have no idea why he sent him off. Dave didn't move. "After he sent their player off, not one of their bench was calling for Dave to be sent off."

Cowley and Jones are available for the New Year's Day match at Waltham Abbey and home match against Great Wakering Rovers next Saturday, but miss the next three games: Burnham at home (January 10), Soham away (January 17) and Thurrock away (January 24).



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